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U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Section of Foreign Markets,
Washington, D. C., December 20, 1900.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith a statistical review of our foreign trade in agricultural products during the ten fiscal years 1891-1900, and to recommend its publication as Bulletin No. 23 of this Office.

Very respectfully,

Frank H. Hitchcock,
Chief.

Hon. James Wilson,
Secretary of Agriculture.

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OUR FOREIGN TRADE IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, 1891–1900.

TRADE OF 1900.

The fiscal year 1900 brought to a close a century of marvelous development in the history of United States commerce. In 1800, a century ago, the total value of the merchandise imported and exported in our trade with foreign countries was considerably less than a quarter of a billion dollars. The value of the goods exchanged during the past fiscal year reached nearly two and a quarter billions, far exceeding all previous records. Since the opening of the century our commerce with the rest of the world has increased more than twelvefold.

It was chiefly in the export trade that the enormous growth of the century occurred. Our domestic exports during 1900, with a recorded value of $1,370,763,571, were over forty times as large as in 1800. The total imports for 1900, on the other hand, amounting in value to $849,941,184, were less than ten times as large as in 1800.

Compared with the value of our imports for 1900, that of our domestic exports showed an excess of $520,822,387.

AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS.

Of the merchandise imported from foreign countries during the fiscal year 1900, about 49 per cent consisted of agricultural products. These products had an aggregate value of $420,139,288, exceeding by almost $65,000,000 the record of the year before. Hides, silk, and wool were the leading factors in the growth, although vegetable fibers, sugar, and tobacco also showed important gains. The six items mentioned contributed nearly $60,000,000 to the increase in value.

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS.

Products of United States agriculture were marketed abroad in the fiscal year 1900 to the value of $844,616,530, forming about 62 per cent of the total domestic exports. With the single exception of 1898, the past year witnessed the largest annual export trade in farm produce on record. The value attained came within $15,000,000 of the phenomenal figures for 1898, and surpassed those for 1899 by more than $50,000,000. A considerable portion of the increase over 1899 was

accounted for by the higher price of cotton. The exports of this great staple, although actually smaller than during the preceding year, exhibited an advance of nearly $33,000,000 in value. Aside from cotton, the largest gains in value were those afforded by the exports of meat products and live stock. Tobacco, fruits and nuts, vegetable oils, oil cake and oil cake-meal, seeds, and dairy products also furnished examples of increase.

A comparison of the value of our agricultural exports for 1900 with that of our agricultural imports shows that the former exceeded the latter by $424,477,242. The export value was slightly more than double the amount of the import value.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

The extent to which the imports and exports of the United States consisted of products of agriculture, and the excess of agricultural exports over agricultural imports, during each fiscal year from 1891 to 1900, inclusive, will be seen from the official[1] statistics presented in the following summary statement:

Value of imports and domestic exports of the United States, total and agricultural, and excess of agricultural exports over agricultural imports, during each fiscal year from 1891 to 1900, inclusive.

Years ended June 30—	Imports.			Domestic exports.			Excess of agricultural exports over agricultural imports.
	Total.	Agricultural.	Percent agricultural.	Total.	Agricultural.	Percent agricultural.	
	Dollars.	*Dollars.*		*Dollars.*	*Dollars.*		*Dollars.*
1891	844,916,196	420,211,949	49.73	872,270,283	652,407,931	74.79	232,195,982
1892	827,402,462	436,697,057	52.78	1,015,732,011	803,122,045	79.07	366,424,988
1893	866,400,922	425,657,448	49.13	831,030,785	621,201,671	74.75	195,544,223
1894	654,994,622	365,160,319	55.75	869,204,937	636,633,747	73.24	271,473,428
1895	731,969,965	373,115,985	50.97	793,392,599	558,385,861	70.38	185,269,876
Annual average, 1891–1895	785,136,883	404,168,551	51.48	876,326,123	654,350,251	74.67	250,181,700
1896	779,724,674	391,029,407	50.15	863,200,487	574,398,264	66.54	183,368,857
1897	764,730,412	400,871,468	52.42	1,032,007,603	689,755,193	66.84	288,883,725
1898	616,049,654	314,291,796	51.02	1,210,291,913	859,018,946	70.98	544,727,150
1899	697,148,489	355,514,881	51.00	1,203,931,222	792,811,733	65.85	437,296,852
1900	849,941,184	420,139,288	49.43	1,370,763,571	844,616,530	61.62	424,477,242
Annual average, 1896–1900	741,518,883	376,369,368	50.76	1,136,038,959	752,120,133	66.21	375,750,765

LEADING AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS.

Among the agricultural imports of the United States for the fiscal year 1900, the leading items, named in the order of value, were sugar, hides and skins, coffee, silk, vegetable fibers, wool, fruits and nuts,

[1]The statistics of importation and exportation given in the present bulletin are based on the official returns of trade published annually by the Bureau of Statistics, United States Treasury Department.

tobacco, tea, wines, vegetable oils, and cocoa. These twelve items comprised in value nearly 90 per cent of our entire import trade in the products of foreign agriculture during the year mentioned.

SUGAR.

Our imports of sugar during 1900 amounted to 4,018,086,530 pounds, showing an increase of 37,835,961 pounds over the quantity imported during the preceding year, which was recorded at 3,980,250,569 pounds. In the total value of the imports there was a gain of $5,286,854, the record for 1900 being $100,250,974, as compared with $94,964,120 for 1899. The average annual import price of the sugar received from abroad during the two years mentioned increased from 2.4 cents to 2.5 cents per pound.

HIDES AND SKINS.

Of hides and skins we imported during 1900 345,934,778 pounds, or 78,844,028 pounds more than in the preceding year, when our total imports amounted to only 267,090,750 pounds. The sum paid for these imports increased meanwhile from $41,988,043 to $57,935,698, a gain of $15,947,655. In the average yearly import price per pound there was an advance from 15.7 cents to 16.7 cents.

Goatskins.—Goatskins were imported during 1900 to the extent of 81,998,818 pounds, valued at $21,987,674, while in 1899 the imports amounted to only 69,728,945 pounds, valued at $18,488,326. There was a gain of 12,269,873 pounds in quantity and $3,499,348 in value. The average import price for 1900 was 26.8 cents per pound, as compared with 26.5 cents per pound for 1899.

Hides of cattle.—The amount of cattle hides imported during 1900 was 163,865,165 pounds, and the value $19,408,217. This was a gain of 33,469,145 pounds in quantity and $5,786,271 in value over the imports for 1899, which were recorded at 130,396,020 pounds, worth $13,621,946. In the average annual import price per pound there was an advance from 10.4 cents to 11.8 cents.

COFFEE.

Our imports of coffee during 1900 were smaller by 43,835,152 pounds than in 1899, the total amount purchased declining from 831,827,063 pounds to 787,991,911 pounds. In value there was a decrease from $55,275,470 to $52,467,943, making a loss of $2,807,527. The import price per pound averaged 6.6 cents for 1899 and 6.7 cents for 1900.

SILK.

In the importation of silk there was an increase from 11,250,383 pounds, worth $32,479,627, during 1899 to 13,073,718 pounds, worth $45,329,760, during 1900. The gain in quantity amounted to 1,823,335

pounds and that in value to $12,850,133. A marked advance in the average annual price, which rose from $2.89 to $3.47 per pound, was largely accountable for the heavy increase in value.

VEGETABLE FIBERS.

The vegetable fibers imported during 1900 had a total value of $34,334,750, or $9,021,511 in excess of the figures for 1899, which were recorded at $25,313,239. Chief among the fibers imported were sisal grass, cotton, and Manila hemp.

Sisal grass.—Of sisal grass we imported in 1900 76,921 tons, worth $11,782,263, as compared with 71,898 tons, worth $9,211,377, in 1899. There was an increase of 5,023 tons in quantity and $2,570,886 in value. The average annual import price advanced from $128.12 to $153.17 a ton.

Cotton.—Our imports of foreign cotton increased from 50,158,158 pounds, valued at $5,013,146, in 1899 to 67,398,521 pounds, valued at $7,960,945, in 1900, showing a gain of 17,240,363 pounds as regards quantity and of $2,947,799 as regards value. The average import price per pound showed an advance from 10 cents in the former year to 11.8 cents in the latter. Egyptian cotton formed the principal part of the imports.

Manila hemp.—The quantity of Manila hemp imported during the past year was 42,624 tons, or 10,571 tons less than the imports for 1899, which were recorded at 53,195 tons. Owing to an increase from $116.77 to $168.27 per ton in the average annual import price, however, the total value of the importations was $960,893 larger for 1900 than for the year before, the value records of the two years showing an advance from $6,211,475 to $7,172,368.

WOOL.

Our imports of wool for 1900, amounting to 155,928,455 pounds, were the largest recorded since the exceptionally heavy importations in 1897, when our receipts of this fiber from abroad reached as high as 350,852,026 pounds, having a value of $53,243,191. As compared with the quantity imported during 1899, returned at 76,736,209 pounds, the imports for the past year show a gain of 79,192,246 pounds, or over 100 per cent. The value of the imports for 1900 amounted to $20,260,936, or $11,938,039 in excess of the value for 1899, which was recorded at only $8,322,897. The marked increase in value was due partly to the fact that in 1900 the average annual import price rose to 13 cents per pound, as compared with only 10.8 cents per pound for the year preceding.

FRUITS AND NUTS.

During 1900 fruits and nuts were imported to the value of $19,263,592, this sum exceeding by $949,386 the figures for 1899, recorded

at $18,314,206. Of fruits alone, which formed the principal part of this item, there were imports valued at $15,586,664 for 1899 and $16,284,758 for 1900, the increase amounting to $698,094. Bananas and lemons were the leading varieties imported.

Bananas.—The value of our banana imports for 1900 amounted to $5,877,835, or $212,247 in excess of the 1899 figures, which were stated at $5,665,588. No statistics were returned as to the quantity of the imports.

Lemons.—Of lemons we imported 160,198,056 pounds, valued at $3,666,881, in 1900, as against 225,946,718 pounds, valued $4,398,004, in 1899. There was a falling off of 65,748,662 pounds in quantity and $731,123 in value. The average import price per pound advanced during the two years from 1.9 cents to 2.3 cents.

TOBACCO.

Our imports of tobacco for 1900 were recorded at 19,619,627 pounds, worth $13,297,223. There was a gain in quantity of 5,583,798 pounds and in value one of $3,396,970 over the imports for 1899, which amounted to 14,035,829 pounds, worth $9,900,253. The average annual import price per pound declined from 70.5 cents to 67.8 cents.

TEA.

The imports of tea were 10,755,208 pounds larger in 1900 than in 1899, our purchases having increased from 74,089,899 pounds to 84,845,107 pounds. Meanwhile the total value of the imports advanced from $9,675,081 to $10,558,110, showing a gain of $883,029. In the average annual import price there was a decline from 13.1 cents to 12.4 cents per pound.

WINES.

Wines were imported into the United States during 1900 to the value of $7,421,495, as compared with $6,590,206 during the year before. The increase amounted to $831,289.

VEGETABLE OILS.

Of vegetable oils there were imports in 1900 worth $6,320,711, or $1,020,047 above the value for 1899, which was recorded at $5,300,664.

COCOA.

Our imports of cocoa increased from 36,438,583 pounds, worth $5,360,116, during 1899, to 42,759,240 pounds, worth $5,970,844, during 1900, showing a gain of 6,320,657 pounds in quantity and in value one of $610,728. The import price per pound averaged 14.7 cents for 1899 and 14 cents for 1900.

TABLE OF LEADING AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS.

In the subjoined table are enumerated in the order of their importance such of the agricultural imports for 1900 as had a valuation exceeding $1,000,000, together with statistics exhibiting the quantity and value of each item, and the amount of increase or decrease as compared with the records of the year preceding. The list includes 31 items, and of these 24 show an increase in value for 1900, while 7 show a decrease. The table is as follows:

Quantity and value of the principal agricultural imports of the United States during the fiscal years 1899 and 1900, respectively, with amount of increase or decrease in 1900.

Articles imported.	Years ended June 30—				Increase (+) or decrease (−) in 1900.	
	1899.		1900.			
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Sugar.....pounds..	3,980,250,569	$94,964,120	4,018,086,530	$100,250,974	+37,835,961	+$5,286,854
Hides and skins.....do....	267,090,750	41,988,043	345,934,778	57,935,698	+78,844,028	+15,947,655
Coffee.....do....	831,827,063	55,275,470	787,991,911	52,467,943	−43,835,152	− 2,807,527
Silk.....do....	11,250,383	32,479,627	13,073,718	45,329,760	+ 1,823,335	+12,850,133
Vegetable fibers.....	.....	25,313,239	.....	34,334,750	.....	+ 9,021,511
Wool.....pounds..	76,736,209	8,322,897	155,928,455	20,260,936	+79,192,246	+11,938,039
Fruits and nuts.....	.....	18,314,206	.....	19,263,592	.....	+ 949,386
Tobacco.....pounds..	14,035,829	9,900,253	19,619,627	13,297,223	+ 5,583,798	+ 3,396,970
Tea.....do....	74,089,899	9,675,081	84,845,107	10,558,110	+10,755,208	+ 883,029
Wines.....	.....	6,590,206	.....	7,421,495	.....	+ 831,289
Vegetable oils.....	.....	5,300,664	.....	6,320,711	.....	+ 1,020,047
Cocoa.....pounds..	36,438,583	5,360,116	42,759,240	5,970,844	+ 6,320,657	+ 610,728
Distilled spirits, proof gallons.....	2,445,975	3,145,079	2,482,020	3,609,831	+ 36,045	+ 464,752
Spices.....pounds..	31,060,829	2,782,301	38,845,615	3,401,265	+ 7,784,786	+ 618,964
Vegetables.....	.....	2,178,738	.....	2,935,077	.....	+ 756,339
Hair.....	.....	1,814,964	.....	2,445,964	.....	+ 631,000
Argols, or wine lees, pounds.....	23,300,762	1,914,450	27,339,489	2,388,693	+ 4,038,727	+ 474,243
Rice, rice meal, etc., pounds.....	204,177,293	3,930,149	116,679,891	2,279,036	−87,497,402	− 1,651,113
Cattle.....number..	199,752	2,320,362	181,006	2,257,694	− 18,746	− 62,668
Opium.....pounds..	637,713	2,052,154	687,417	2,189,721	+ 49,704	+ 137,567
Bristles.....do....	1,856,577	1,458,252	2,530,158	2,152,867	+ 673,581	+ 694,615
Breadstuffs.....	.....	2,544,765	.....	1,803,729	.....	− 741,036
Seeds.....	.....	1,221,845	.....	1,795,048	.....	+ 573,203
Cheese.....pounds..	11,826,175	1,563,128	13,455,990	1,761,613	+ 1,629,815	+ 198,485
Feathers and downs, crude..	.....	1,768,092	.....	1,736,458	.....	− 31,634
Malt liquors.....gallons..	2,847,234	1,487,878	3,310,320	1,727,256	+ 463,086	+ 239,378
Indigo.....pounds..	3,127,357	1,698,583	2,746,944	1,446,490	− 380,413	− 252,093
Sheep.....number..	345,911	1,200,081	381,792	1,365,026	+ 35,881	+ 164,945
Hide cuttings and other glue stock.....	.....	708,968	.....	1,223,521	.....	+ 514,553
Vanilla beans....pounds..	272,174	1,235,412	255,966	1,209,334	− 16,208	− 26,078
Hay.....tons..	19,872	115,409	143,890	1,019,743	+ 124,018	+ 904,334
All other articles.....	.....	6,890,349	.....	7,978,886	.....	+ 1,088,537
Total agricultural imports.....	.....	355,514,881	.....	420,139,288	.....	+64,624,407

LEADING AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS.

In 1900, as in previous years, breadstuffs, cotton, and meat products formed the most important part of our agricultural export trade. After these three leading items, the principal exports were live animals, tobacco, oil cake and oil-cake meal, vegetable oils, fruits and nuts, dairy products, and seeds. Measured in value, the 10 items mentioned comprised over 95 per cent of our total exports of farm produce during 1900.

The following table shows the value of each of these 10 items in 1899 and 1900, with the amount of increase or decrease for 1900:

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States for 1899 and 1900, arranged by leading groups, with amount of increase or decrease in 1900.

Agricultural exports.	Years ended June 30—		Increase in 1900.	Decrease in 1900.
	1899.	1900.		
	Dollars.	*Dollars.*	*Dollars.*	*Dollars.*
Breadstuffs	273,999,699	262,744,078	.....	11,255,621
Cotton	210,089,576	242,988,978	32,899,402	.....
Meat products	166,679,166	173,751,471	7,072,305	.....
Live animals	37,880,916	43,585,031	5,704,115	.....
Tobacco	25,467,218	29,422,371	3,955,153	.....
Oil cake and oil-cake meal	14,548,765	16,806,302	2,257,537	.....
Vegetable oils	13,809,335	16,345,056	2,535,721	.....
Fruits and nuts	7,897,485	11,642,662	3,745,177	.....
Dairy products	7,629,211	9,226,520	1,597,309	.....
Seeds	5,079,396	7,036,982	1,957,586	.....
Other	29,730,966	31,067,079	1,336,113	.....
Total agricultural exports	792,811,733	844,616,530	51,804,797	.....

BREADSTUFFS.

Our exports of breadstuffs during 1900, although far exceeding in value the average for preceding years, show a noticeable falling off compared with the exceptionally heavy shipments of 1898 and 1899. The exports for 1898, amounting in value to $333,897,119, were by far the largest on record. In 1899 the export trade amounted to $273,999,699, this value being in excess of any previously reported, except that just mentioned for 1898 and a record of $299,363,117 attained in 1892. The shipments during 1900 were valued at $262,744,078, or $11,255,621 less than the figures returned for 1899.

As in the preceding year, the decline in the export value of breadstuffs recorded for 1900 was traceable chiefly to a falling off in the shipments of wheat. Accompanying the decline in wheat shipments there was a further marked increase in the exports of corn, and for the first time in the history of the trade the total export value of corn exceeded that of wheat.

Indian corn.—In both quantity and value our exports of Indian corn for 1900 were the largest ever reported, amounting to 209,348,284 bushels, worth $85,206,400. Compared with the shipments for 1899, which were recorded at 174,089,094 bushels, worth $68,977,448, the 1900 exports were greater in quantity by 35,259,190 bushels and in value by $16,228,952. The average annual export price per bushel showed a slight increase for 1900, the quotation for that year being 40.7 cents as against 39.6 cents for 1899.

Wheat.—During 1900 we shipped to foreign markets 101,950,389 bushels of wheat, the total value being $73,237,080. As compared with the exports for 1899, which amounted to 139,432,815 bushels, worth $104,269,169, these shipments exhibit a falling off of 37,482,426 bushels in quantity and $31,032,089 in value. The export price for

1900 averaged 71.8 cents per bushel, or just 3 cents lower than the price of the year preceding, which was recorded at 74.8 cents per bushel.

Wheat flour.—Although the year 1900 witnessed a decline in our shipments of wheat, there was a slight increase in the amount of wheat flour sent abroad, the exports of this product amounting to 18,699,194 barrels, as compared with 18,485,690 barrels in 1899. This was a gain of 213,504 barrels. Owing, however, to a material decline in the average export price, which dropped from $3.95 per barrel during 1899 to $3.62 per barrel during 1900, the total value of the exports suffered a considerable decrease, falling during the two years from $73,093,870 to $67,760,886, the loss being $5,332,984.

The wheat flour exports of 1899, converted into their equivalent in grain, were equal to 83,185,605 bushels of wheat, and, similarly, the wheat flour exports of 1900 were equal to 84,146,373 bushels of wheat. In the former year the combined exports of wheat and wheat flour amounted to 222,618,420 bushels of grain, and in the latter year to 186,096,762 bushels of grain, exhibiting for 1900 a total falling off of 36,521,658 bushels as compared with 1899. The combined value of the wheat and wheat flour exports, amounting to $177,363,039 in 1899 and $140,997,966 in 1900, showed a decline of $36,365,073.

Oats.—In the exportation of oats there was a considerable growth during 1900, the shipments for that year amounting to 41,369,415 bushels, worth $12,504,654, as compared with 30,309,778 bushels, worth $9,787,540, for the year preceding. The gain in quantity amounted to 11,059,637 bushels, and that in value to $2,717,114. In the average annual export price there was a decline from 32.3 cents to 30.2 cents per bushel.

Barley.—During 1900 barley was exported more extensively than in any previous year, the total shipments reaching as high as 23,661,662 bushels, worth $11,216,694. The largest previous exports occurred in 1897, when 20,030,301 bushels, worth $7,646,384, were marketed abroad. In the following year, 1898, the exports declined to 11,237,077 bushels, with a value of $5,542,040, and in 1899 a still further decrease was recorded, the shipments for that year falling as low as 2,267,403 bushels, with a value of $1,375,274. As compared with the 1899 figures the record for 1900 shows an increase of 21,394,259 bushels in quantity and $9,841,420 in value. The average annual export price per bushel fell during the last two years from 60.7 cents to 47.4 cents.

Rye.—Concurrent with the increase in barley exports there was a marked falling off during 1900 in the amount of rye sent to foreign countries. Our shipments of rye for that year amounted to only 2,355,792 bushels, worth $1,442,055, as against 10,140,866 bushels, worth $5,936,078, for 1899. There was a decrease of 7,785,074 bushels

in quantity and $4,494,023 in value. An increase from 58.5 cents to 61.2 cents per bushel occurred in the average annual export price.

COTTON.

The amount of American cotton supplied to foreign countries during 1900 was somewhat less than in the preceding year, the export record being 3,126,225,588 pounds as against 3,787,719,122 pounds for 1899. This was a falling off of 661,493,534 pounds. Owing to an advance in the average yearly export price from 5.5 cents per pound to 7.8 cents per pound, however, the total value of the shipments showed an increase from $210,089,576 in 1899 to $242,988,978 in 1900, making a gain of $32,899,402.

MEAT PRODUCTS.

In the exportation of meat products during the past year there was an increase of $7,072,305 over the exceptionally high figures of 1899, the total value of the consignments sent to foreign markets in 1900 reaching as high as $173,751,471, and thus surpassing all previous records. The value for 1899, which was the highest previously reported, amounted to $166,679,166. The principal gain occurred in the group of articles classed as beef products, the export record for this group in 1900 being 523,288,975 pounds, valued at $42,170,407, as compared with 476,030,644 pounds, valued at $34,087,614, in 1899. The increase amounted to 47,258,331 pounds in quantity and $8,082,793 in value. Fresh beef contributed the chief part of this gain.

In the exports of hog products, on the other hand, there was a falling off of 140,241,179 pounds as regards quantity, and $3,019,926 as regards value. The shipments of this group of products were recorded at 1,538,024,466 pounds, worth $112,159,417, for 1900, as against 1,678,265,645 pounds, worth $115,179,343, for 1899. Bacon and lard were the principal factors in this decline. The exports of hams showed a rather marked falling off in quantity, but owing to an advance in price, the decrease in total value was small. The shipments of salted or pickled pork exhibited a decline in quantity, while in value there was a slight increase.

Aside from the various hog and beef products mentioned, oleo oil formed the most important item under the head of meat products. The exports of oleo oil for 1900 showed a noticeable increase in both quantity and value.

Lard.—Lard was exported in 1900 to the extent of 661,813,663 pounds, worth $41,939,164. As compared with the shipments for 1899, recorded at 711,259,851 pounds, worth $42,208,465, these figures show a decline of 49,446,188 pounds in quantity and $269,301 in value. The average annual export price per pound advanced during the two years from 5.9 cents to 6.3 cents.

Bacon.—The falling off in our exports of bacon for 1900 as compared with 1899 amounted in quantity to 50,497,751 pounds, and in value to $2,581,152. The record for 1900 was 512,153,729 pounds, worth $38,975,915, while that for 1899 reached 562,651,480 pounds, worth $41,557,067. In the average annual export price there was an advance from 7.4 cents per pound to 7.6 cents per pound.

Hams.—In the quantity of hams exported there was a decline from 225,846,750 pounds during 1899 to 196,414,412 pounds during 1900, making a loss of 29,432,338 pounds. Notwithstanding this marked decrease in the volume of the exports, an advance from 9.2 cents to 10.4 cents per pound in the average annual price prevented any considerable falling off in the total value, the record for 1900 being $20,416,367, or only $357,717 less than the value for 1899, reported at $20,774,084.

Salted or pickled pork.—The exports of salted or pickled pork amounted to 133,199,683 pounds, worth $8,243,797, in 1900, as against 137,197,200 pounds, worth $7,917,066, in 1899. These figures show a falling off of 3,997,517 pounds as regards quantity and an increase of $326,731 as regards value. In the average annual export price there was an advance during the two years from 5.8 cents to 6.2 cents per pound.

Fresh beef.—The growth of our export trade in fresh beef during 1900 was an important one, the shipments for that year amounting to 329,078,609 pounds as compared with only 282,139,974 pounds for the year before. This was a gain of 46,938,635 pounds. In value there was an advance during the two years from $23,545,185 to $29,643,830, making a gain of $6,098,645. The average annual export price per pound was quoted at 9 cents for 1900, while in 1899 it was only 8.3 cents.

Oleo oil.—In the exportation of oleo oil there was an increase from 142,390,492 pounds, worth $9,183,659, in 1899, to 146,739,681 pounds, worth $10,503,856, in 1900. The gain in quantity amounted to 4,349,189 pounds and that in value to $1,320,197. The average annual export price per pound rose from 6.4 cents to 7.2 cents.

LIVE ANIMALS.

Our exports of live stock of various kinds during 1900 amounted in total value to $43,585,031, exceeding by $5,704,115 the figures for 1899, which were recorded at $37,880, 916.

Cattle.—Of American cattle 397,286 head were sent abroad last year, or 7,796 head in excess of the shipments for 1899, which amounted to 389,490 head. The value of the cattle exported increased during the two years from $30,516,833 to $30,635,153, a gain of $118,320. In 1899 the average export price per head was $78.35, and in 1900 $77.11.

Horses.—The number of American horses shipped to foreign countries during 1900 was 64,722, while in 1899 it was only 45,778. Accompanying this gain of 18,944 in number, there was an increase of $2,168,274 in value, the total export valuation advancing during the two years from $5,444,342 to $7,612,616. The average export price per head amounted to $118.93 for 1899 and to $117.62 for 1900.

TOBACCO.

Tobacco in its various unmanufactured forms, including stems and trimmings, was exported during 1900 to the value of $29,422,371, showing a gain of $3,955,153 over the figures for 1899, which were recorded at $25,467,218.

Leaf tobacco.—Of leaf tobacco, which was the principal item, there were exports amounting in 1900 to 334,604,210 pounds, worth $29,163,086, as compared with only 272,421,295 pounds, worth $25,170,771, in 1899. The quantity of the exports was increased by 62,182,915 pounds and their value by $3,992,315. In the average annual export price per pound there was a decline from 9.2 cents to 8.7 cents.

OIL CAKE AND OIL-CAKE MEAL.

The exports of oil cake and oil-cake meal for 1900, amounting to 1,631,723,300 pounds, worth $16,806,302, were the largest on record, exceeding by 62,630,167 pounds in quantity and $2,257,537 in value the exceptionally high figures of 1899, during which year 1,569,093,133 pounds, worth $14,548,765, were exported. In the average annual export price per pound there was an advance from 0.9 cent to 1 cent.

VEGETABLE OILS.

The total value of the vegetable oils exported during 1900 reached $16,345,056, or $2,535,721 in excess of the preceding year's value, recorded at $13,809,335. The principal item under this head was cotton-seed oil.

Cotton-seed oil.—In the exports of cotton-seed oil, amounting during 1900 to 46,902,390 gallons, there was a falling off of 3,724,829 gallons as compared with 50,627,219 gallons shipped the year before, but owing to an advance from 23.9 cents to 30.1 cents in the average annual export price per gallon, the total value of the shipments increased during the two years from $12,077,519 to $14,127,538, showing a gain of $2,050,019.

FRUITS AND NUTS.

In the exportation of fruits and nuts there was a decided growth during 1900, the total value of the shipments for that year amounting to $11,642,662, as compared with only $7,897,485 for the year before. This was a gain of $3,745,177. Fruits formed the principal part of this

item, having a value of $7,757,235 in 1899 and one of $11,486,172 in 1900. In the export value of fruits alone there was an increase amounting to $3,728,937.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

A considerable increase also occurred during the past year in our total exports of dairy products. The value of these exports as recorded for 1900 was $9,226,520. This was a gain of $1,597,309 over the value for the preceding year, which came to only $7,629,211.

Cheese.—Of cheese there were shipments during 1900 to the extent of 48,419,353 pounds, worth $4,943,609. Compared with only 38,198,-753 pounds, worth $3,316,049, for the year before, these figures show a gain of 10,220,600 pounds in quantity and $1,627,560 in value. The average annual export price advanced from 8.7 cents per pound to 10.2 cents per pound.

Butter.—In the exports of butter, on the other hand, there was a slight falling off during 1900. The shipments for that year amounted to only 18,266,371 pounds, valued at $3,143,509, as against 20,247,-997 pounds, valued at $3,263,951, for 1899. The quantity exported declined 1,981,626 pounds and the value $120,442. In the average annual export price per pound there was an advance from 16.1 cents to 17.2 cents.

SEEDS.

Our exports of seeds for 1900 had a total value of $7,036,982, or $1,957,586 above the figures for 1899, which were recorded at $5,079,-396. The increase was due chiefly to larger exports of clover seed and flaxseed.

TABLE OF LEADING AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS.

The table given below enumerates in the order of their importance such of the agricultural exports for 1900 as had a valuation exceeding $1,000,000, and states the quantity and value exported in that year and in the year before, together with the amount of increase or decrease. Of the 44 items covered by the table 33 exhibit a gain in value for 1900, while 11 exhibit a decline. The table is as follows:

Quantity and value of the principal agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the fiscal years 1899 and 1900, respectively, with amount of increase or decrease in 1900.

Articles exported.	Years ended June 30— 1899. Quantities.	1899. Values.	1900. Quantities.	1900. Values.	Increase (+) or decrease (−) in 1900. Quantities.	Increase (+) or decrease (−) in 1900. Values.
Cotton.....pounds..	3,787,719,122	$210,089,576	3,126,225,588	$242,988,978	−661,493,534	+$32,899,402
Corn (maize)...bushels..	174,089,094	68,977,448	209,348,284	85,206,400	+ 35,259,190	+ 16,228,952
Wheat.....do....	139,432,815	104,269,169	101,950,389	73,237,080	− 37,482,426	− 31,032,089
Wheat flour.....barrels..	18,485,690	73,093,870	18,699,194	67,760,886	+ 213,504	− 5,332,984
Lard.....pounds..	711,259,851	42,208,465	661,813,663	41,939,164	− 49,446,188	− 269,301
Bacon .....do....	562,651,480	41,557,067	512,153,729	38,975,915	− 50,497,751	− 2,581,152
Cattle.....number..	389,490	30,516,833	397,286	30,635,153	+ 7,796	+ 118,320
Fresh beef.....pounds..	282,139,974	23,545,185	329,078,609	29,643,830	+ 46,938,635	+ 6,098,645
Leaf tobacco .....do....	272,421,295	25,170,771	334,604,210	29,163,086	+ 62,182,915	+ 3,992,315
Hams.....do....	225,846,750	20,774,084	196,414,412	20,416,367	− 29,432,338	− 357,717
Oil cake and oil-cake meal.....pounds..	1,569,093,133	14,548,765	1,631,723,300	16,806,302	+ 62,630,167	+ 2,257,537
Cotton-seed oil .gallons..	50,627,219	12,077,519	46,902,390	14,127,538	− 3,724,829	+ 2,050,019
Oats .....bushels..	30,309,778	9,787,540	41,369,415	12,504,654	+ 11,059,637	+ 2,717,114
Fruits.....	.....	7,757,235	.....	11,486,172	.....	+ 3,728,937
Barley.....bushels..	2,267,403	1,375,274	23,661,662	11,216,694	+ 21,394,259	+ 9,841,420
Oleo oil.....pounds..	142,390,492	9,183,659	146,739,681	10,503,856	+ 4,349,189	+ 1,320,197
Pork, salted or pickled, pounds.....	137,197,200	7,917,066	133,199,683	8,243,797	− 3,997,517	+ 326,731
Horses .....number..	45,778	5,444,342	64,722	7,612,616	+ 18,944	+ 2,168,274
Canned beef....pounds..	38,385,472	3,503,293	55,553,745	5,233,982	+ 17,168,273	+ 1,730,689
Cheese .....do....	38,198,753	3,316,049	48,419,353	4,943,609	+ 10,220,600	+ 1,627,560
Tallow .....do....	107,361,009	4,367,356	89,030,943	4,398,204	− 18,330,066	+ 30,848
Mules.....number..	6,755	516,908	43,369	3,919,478	+ 36,614	+ 3,402,570
Glucose and grape sugar, pounds.....	229,003,571	3,624,890	221,901,459	3,600,139	− 7,102,112	− 24,751
Flaxseed, or linseed, bushels	2,830,991	2,815,449	2,743,266	3,475,417	− 87,725	+ 659,968
Butter.....pounds..	20,247,997	3,263,951	18,266,371	3,143,509	− 1,981,626	− 120,442
Grease, grease scraps, and other soap stock ..	.....	2,576,507	.....	2,944,322	.....	+ 367,815
Vegetables.....	.....	2,799,400	.....	2,853,278	.....	+ 53,878
Beef, salted or pickled, pounds.....	46,564,876	2,525,784	47,306,513	2,697,340	+ 741,637	+ 171,556
Bran, middlings, and mill feed .....tons..	127,953	2,002,588	166,604	2,638,719	+ 38,651	+ 636,131
Starch.....pounds..	110,193,776	2,292,843	124,935,963	2,604,362	+ 14,742,187	+ 311,519
Clover seed.....do....	19,980,434	1,264,922	32,069,371	2,379,372	+ 12,088,937	+ 1,114,450
Sausage casings.....	.....	1,671,052	.....	2,307,571	.....	+ 636,519
Corn meal .....barrels..	791,488	1,775,868	943,782	2,148,410	+ 152,294	+ 372,542
Malt liquors	.....	1,888,124	.....	2,139,216	.....	+ 251,092
Distilled spirits, pf. galls.	2,692,029	2,080,737	1,902,190	1,957,805	− 789,839	− 122,932
Fresh pork.....pounds..	41,310,364	2,722,661	25,946,905	1,925,772	− 15,363,459	− 796,889
Hops .....do....	21,145,512	3,626,144	12,639,474	1,707,660	− 8,506,038	− 1,918,484
Sirup .....gallons..	10,070,650	1,465,849	11,139,770	1,682,202	+ 1,069,120	+ 216,353
Oatmeal.....pounds..	58,042,505	1,295,988	66,229,950	1,547,900	+ 8,187,445	+ 251,912
Lard substitutes, n. e. s., *a* pounds.....	22,144,717	1,200,231	25,852,685	1,475,064	+ 3,707,968	+ 274,833
Rye .....bushels..	10,140,866	5,936,078	2,355,792	1,442,055	− 7,785,074	− 4,494,023
Corn oil .....gallons..	2,360,623	565,293	4,383,926	1,351,867	+ 2,023,303	+ 786,574
Milk	.....	1,049,211	.....	1,139,402	.....	+ 90,191
Refined sugar..pounds..	9,462,228	426,202	22,192,351	1,004,135	+ 12,730,123	+ 577,933
All other articles	.....	23,944,487	.....	25,487,252	.....	+ 1,542,765
Total agricultural exports	.....	792,811,733	.....	844,616,530	.....	+ 51,804,797

a Including stearin in 1900.

AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS AND EXPORTS CLASSIFIED AS ANIMAL MATTER AND VEGETABLE MATTER.

As a convenient basis of classification the various articles comprising our agricultural imports and exports may be grouped under two general heads—animal matter and vegetable matter.

AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS.

The relative standing of these two categories in our agricultural imports during each fiscal year from 1891 to 1900, inclusive, is shown by the following statement:

Agricultural imports of the United States during the fiscal years 1891 to 1900, inclusive, classified as animal matter and vegetable matter.

Years ended June 30—	Agricultural imports.				
	Total.	Animal matter.		Vegetable matter.	
		Values.	Per cent of total.	Values.	Per cent of total.
	Dollars.	*Dollars.*		*Dollars.*	
1891	420,211,949	82,845,612	19.72	337,366,337	80.28
1892	436,697,057	86,193,605	19.74	350,503,452	80.26
1893	425,657,448	95,301,166	22.39	330,356,282	77.61
1894	365,160,319	48,928,085	13.40	316,232,234	86.60
1895	373,115,985	87,054,990	23.33	286,060,995	76.67
Annual average, 1891–1895	404,168,551	80,064,691	19.81	324,103,860	80.19
1896	391,029,407	104,118,490	26.63	286,910,917	73.37
1897	400,871,468	114,586,188	28.58	286,285,280	71.42
1898	314,291,796	100,633,008	32.02	213,658,788	67.98
1899	355,514,881	97,825,938	27.52	257,688,943	72.48
1900	420,139,288	141,084,302	33.58	279,054,986	66.42
Annual average, 1896–1900	376,369,368	111,649,585	29.66	264,719,783	70.34

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS.

Under a similar classification our agricultural exports for the same years show the following relation:

Agricultural exports of the United States during the fiscal years 1891 to 1900, inclusive, classified as animal matter and vegetable matter.

Years ended June 30—	Agricultural exports (domestic).				
	Total.	Animal matter.		Vegetable matter.	
		Values.	Per cent of total.	Values.	Per cent of total.
	Dollars..	*Dollars.*		*Dollars.*	
1891	652,407,931	178,309,251	27.33	474,098,680	72.67
1892	803,122,045	182,026,147	22.66	621,095,898	77.34
1893	621,201,671	171,428,673	27.60	449,772,998	72.40
1894	636,633,747	189,526,548	29.77	447,107,199	70.23
1895	558,385,861	176,457,219	31.60	381,928,642	68.40
Annual average, 1891–1895	654,350,251	179,549,568	27.44	474,800,683	72.56
1896	574,398,264	183,264,812	31.91	391,133,452	68.09
1897	689,755,193	188,322,221	27.30	501,432,972	72.70
1898	859,018,946	217,808,053	25.36	641,210,893	74.64
1899	792,811,733	218,377,750	27.54	574,433,983	72.46
1900	844,616,530	233,764,590	27.68	610,851,940	72.32
Annual average, 1896–1900	752,120,133	208,307,485	27.70	543,812,648	72.30

AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS AND EXPORTS IN DETAIL.

A detailed statement of the agricultural imports[1] and exports of the United States during each fiscal year from 1891 to 1900, inclusive, embracing all such commodities as may reasonably be classed in the agricultural category, is presented in the following tables:

[1] In comparing the yearly import returns for 1891–1900, tariff changes should be taken into account. The tariff law of 1883 was in force until October 6, 1890. At that date the tariff of 1890 became law, remaining in effect until August 27, 1894, when it was superseded by the tariff law of 1894. The latter law continued in force until July 24, 1897, at which date the present tariff became operative.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895.

Articles imported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.										
Animals, live:										
Cattle ..... number..	12,392	$102,978	2,168	$47,466	3,293	$45,682	1,592	$18,704	149,781	$765,853
Horses ..... do....	22,537	3,265,254	14,074	2,455,868	15,451	2,388,267	6,166	1,319,572	13,098	1,055,191
Sheep ..... do....	345,765	1,219,206	380,814	1,440,530	459,484	1,682,977	242,568	788,181	291,461	682,618
Other, including fowls	.....	357,927	.....	307,752	.....	525,269	.....	274,789	.....	233,416
Total	.....	4,945,365	.....	4,251,616	.....	4,642,195	.....	2,401,246	.....	2,737,078
Beeswax ..... pounds..	379,135	80,485	271,068	65,487	248,000	62,024	318,660	80,024	288,001	78,776
Bladders, crude	.....	15,383	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)
Blood, dried	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	72,542	.....	(a)	.....	(a)
Bones, hoofs, and horns:										
Bones, crude	.....	322,009	.....	345,668	.....	360,573	.....	307,033	.....	306,049
Hoofs and horns	.....	587,444	.....	797,529	.....	554,902	.....	235,232	.....	268,800
Total	.....	909,453	.....	1,143,197	.....	915,475	.....	542,265	.....	574,849
Bristles:										
Crude ..... pounds..	1,404,832	1,357,938	1,495,003	1,455,058	1,598,818	1,508,258	892,520	929,231	4,741	1,892
Sorted, bunched, or prepared .... do....									1,296,753	1,242,259
Total ..... do....	1,404,832	1,357,938	1,495,003	1,455,058	1,598,818	1,508,258	892,520	929,231	1,301,494	1,244,151
Dairy products:										
Butter ..... do....	380,728	58,541	114,137	16,549	73,423	13,479	144,346	23,356	72,148	12,930
Cheese ..... do....	8,863,640	1,358,752	8,305,288	1,238,166	10,195,924	1,425,927	8,742,851	1,247,198	10,276,293	1,450,657
Milk	.....	105,633	.....	95,947	.....	110,186	.....	102,336	.....	80,491
Total	.....	1,522,926	.....	1,350,662	.....	1,549,592	.....	1,372,890	.....	1,544,078
Eggs ..... dozens..	8,233,043	1,185,595	4,188,492	522,240	3,318,011	392,973	1,791,430	199,536	2,705,502	324,136
Feathers and downs, crude *b*	.....	2,161,058	.....	1,348,435	.....	1,572,154	.....	990,541	.....	1,746,967
Fibers, animal:										
Silk—										
Cocoons ..... pounds..	82,053	62,145	191,221	97,673	186,929	111,037	181,824	112,385	320,621	139,042
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon ..... pounds..	4,917,688	17,994,654	7,521,342	24,321,494	7,422,430	29,055,557	4,956,875	15,627,822	7,974,810	22,029,068
Waste ..... do....	1,266,888	1,019,282	1,121,486	640,158	888,118	670,392	763,786	493,975	1,021,029	457,946
Total silk ..... do....	6,266,629	19,076,081	8,834,049	25,059,325	8,497,477	29,836,986	5,902,485	16,234,182	9,316,460	22,626,056

a Not stated.

b Prior to 1895, including some imports of feathers, dressed, colored, or manufactured.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895—Continued.

Articles imported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.										
Fibers, animal—Continued.										
Wools and hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals—										
Class 1, clothing.....pounds..	32,230,935	$6,919,913	50,262,796	$9,523,773	43,311,565	$7,876,676	10,685,496	$1,748,359	87,151,522	$13,335,602
Class 2, combing.....do....	6,667,023	1,551,490	5,826,574	1,368,654	6,736,201	1,466,641	1,548,505	399,875	13,476,735	2,637,581
Class 3, carpet.....do....	90,405,690	9,759,969	92,581,282	8,795,681	122,386,072	11,720,863	42,918,584	3,959,204	105,405,649	9,583,238
Total wools.....do....	129,303,648	18,231,372	148,670,652	19,688,108	172,433,838	21,064,180	55,152,585	6,107,438	206,033,906	25,556,421
Total animal fibers.....	.....	37,307,453	.....	44,747,433	.....	50,901,166	.....	22,341,620	.....	48,182,477
Glue.....pounds..	5,501,142	497,340	5,541,776	495,519	6,170,162	567,756	4,132,524	400,240	4,751,048	416,394
Grease *a*.....	.....	703,021	.....	488,871	.....	692,781	.....	420,059	.....	1,336,388
Gut.....	.....	242,950	.....	225,278	.....	229,261	.....	188,111	.....	212,645
Hair.....	.....	2,265,714	.....	1,685,562	.....	2,005,796	.....	839,972	.....	1,165,944
Hide cuttings and other glue stock.....	.....	353,943	.....	303,302	.....	365,525	.....	280,062	.....	263,175
Hides and skins, (*b*) other than furs:										
Goatskins.....pounds..	(*c*)	11,433,745	(*c*)	11,557,967	(*c*)	12,844,245	(*c*)	8,583,166	54,240,492	10,954,827
Other *d*.....do....	(*c*)	16,497,014	(*c*)	15,292,251	(*c*)	15,503,651	(*c*)	8,202,986	172,335,253	15,168,115
Total.....do....	(*c*)	27,930,759	(*c*)	26,850,218	(*c*)	28,347,896	(*c*)	16,786,152	226,575,745	26,122,942
Honey.....gallons..	47,740	20,808	70,103	31,418	176,147	79,396	152,643	56,156	67,444	22,993
Meat products:										
Meat and meat extracts.....	.....	521,322	.....	430,048	.....	558,284	.....	412,666	.....	479,336
Sausage, Bologna.....	.....	77,664	.....	82,507	.....	98,659	.....	102,610	.....	93,188
Sausage casings.....	.....	572,817	.....	566,650	.....	583,217	.....	495,118	.....	419,345
Other *e*.....	.....	66,385	.....	15,386	.....	16,717	.....	12,291	.....	5,244
Total.....	.....	1,238,188	.....	1,094,591	.....	1,256,877	.....	1,022,685	.....	997,113
Oils, animal, except whale and fish..galls..	19,307	5,531	34,543	12,136	55,619	21,327	3,597	1,232	1,464	469
Quills.....	.....	(*c*)	.....	1,568	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)
Rennets.....	.....	89,869	.....	116,460	.....	109,358	.....	76,063	.....	84,415
Silkworm eggs.....	.....	10,355	.....	4,554	.....	3,070	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)
Stearin.....pounds..	(*c*)	1,478	(*c*)	(*c*)	63,138	5,744	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)
Total animal matter.....	.....	82,845,612	.....	86,193,605	.....	95,301,166	.....	48,928,085	.....	87,054,990
VEGETABLE MATTER.										
Argols, or wine lees.....pounds..	21,579,102	2,197,507	24,813,171	2,216,525	28,770,810	2,341,575	22,373,180	1,504,200	27,911,122	1,893,730

Breadstuffs:										
Barley.....bushels..	5,078,733	3,222,593	3,146,328	1,592,040	1,970,129	921,605	791,061	358,744	2,116,816	867,743
Corn (maize).....do....	2,111	1,651	15,290	10,752	1,881	1,265	2,199	1,508	16,575	7,552
Oats.....do....	9,692	5,056	20,208	8,224	21,309	8,897	8,345	3,928	308,308	80,901
Oatmeal.....pounds..	578,809	31,089	496,333	27,942	506,232	25,642	421,459	24,483	396,176	21,993
Rye.....bushels..	140,737	98,227	83,537	67,507	8,598	7,055	50	37	12,918	6,272
Wheat.....do....	545,968	431,940	2,459,602	1,955,385	966,280	707,053	1,181,060	769,177	1,429,993	868,965
Wheat flour.....barrels..	8,413	43,180	614	4,231	410	2,223	401	1,946	1,868	8,295
Other, and preparations of, used as food.	.....	1,194,473	.....	1,223,066	.....	1,266,835	.....	1,042,064	.....	998,092
Total.....	.....	5,028,209	.....	4,889,147	.....	2,940,575	.....	2,201,887	.....	2,859,813
Chocolate, other than confectionery and sweetened chocolate.....pounds..	421,922	91,430	181,233	37,911	543,266	118,479	969,855	198,425	897,637	174,805
Cider.....gallons..	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	13,138	3,549	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Cocoa:										
Crude, and leaves and shells of....lbs..	21,539,840	2,817,168	21,955,874	3,221,041	24,460,325	4,017,801	17,634,779	2,402,382	29,307,048	3,195,811
Prepared or manufactured.....do...	1,317,023	505,889	1,575,154	601,429	1,456,289	499,974	1,294,759	454,730	1,433,576	482,532
Total.....do...	22,856,863	3,323,057	23,531,028	3,822,470	25,916,614	4,517,775	18,929,538	2,857,112	30,740,624	3,678,343
Coffee.....do...	519,528,432	96,123,777	640,210,788	128,041,930	563,469,068	80,485,558	550,934,337	90,314,676	652,208,975	96,130,717
Coffee substitutes:										
Chicory root—										
Raw, unground.....do...	f1,864,821	f35,512	5,492,732	93,179	6,689,332	134,070	7,951,042	168,892	9,544,186	158,142
Roasted, ground, or otherwise prepared g.....pounds..	10,146,787	307,005	1,993,343	61,775	2,007,738	74,814	1,906,300	74,516	445,458	14,816
Total chicory root.....do....	12,011,608	342,517	7,486,075	154,954	8,697,070	208,884	9,857,342	243,408	9,989,644	172,958
Other.....do....	76,593	4,842	2,184,348	83,159	1,729,124	64,298	1,389,672	55,554	2,776,117	106,886
Total coffee substitutes....do....	12,088,201	347,359	9,670,423	238,113	10,426,194	273,182	11,247,014	298,962	12,765,761	279,844
Curry and curry powder.....	.....	5,127	.....	5,032	.....	5,894	.....	(c)	.....	(c)
Fibers, vegetable:										
Cotton.....pounds..	20,908,817	2,825,004	28,663,769	3,217,521	43,367,952	4,688,79[illegible]	27,705,949	3,003,888	49,332,022	4,714,375
Flax.....tons..	6,331	1,656,779	7,812	1,964,163	6,696	1,879,152	4,352	1,336,845	7,233	2,059,291
Hemp h.....do....	11,484	1,731,396	5,187	681,809	4,817	685,485	1,635	239,918	6,954	882,761
Istle, or Tampico fiber.....do....	f3,877	f353,181	4,732	325,548	4,987	321,869	4,789	257,089	9,827	458,404
Jute and jute butts.....do....	141,704	3,862,858	88,624	3,021,174	82,231	2,467,828	50,037	1,716,298	110,671	2,752,966
Manila hemp.....do....	f35,331	f6,218,254	44,574	6,672,279	59,439	8,376,370	35,233	4,013,255	50,278	4,060,517
Sisal grass.....do....	f39,213	f4,454,573	48,020	5,187,620	54,431	6,005,484	48,468	3,742,073	47,596	2,743,396
Other i.....do....	33,650	3,009,664	12,824	1,271,501	16,303	1,635,367	10,207	858,003	6,152	324,746
Total.....	.....	24,111,709	.....	22,341,615	.....	26,060,354	.....	15,167,369	.....	17,996,456

a From August 27, 1894, to the end of the period, including tallow, previously classed under "Other meat products" (dutiable). b Except sheepskins with the wool on.
c Not stated. d Including fishskins and, in 1895, bird skins. e Exclusive of tallow (free of duty) from August 27, 1894, to the end of the period.
f From October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1891, inclusive. g Including unground chicory root prior to October 6, 1890.
h Including Manila hemp prior to October 6, 1890. i Including istle, or Tampico fiber, and sisal grass prior to October 6, 1890.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895—Continued.

Articles imported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Flowers, natural, preserved or fresh		*a* $26,065		$30,782		$55,046		$41,445		*b* $10,014
Fruit juices, n. e. s.:										
Prune juice or prune wine ...gallons	28,050	28,662	26,774	27,716	22,365	19,481	31,792	27,406	39,011	28,826
Other, including cherry juice		*c* 14,372		37,307		36,601		17,452		26,470
Total		(*d*)		65,023		56,082		44,858		55,296
Fruits and nuts:										
Fruits—										
Bananas		5,854,752		5,000,632		5,361,187		5,122,503		4,674,861
Currants ....pounds	*c* 33,128,140	*c* 1,246,074	36,665,828	1,209,119	33,166,546	1,185,537	52,664,843	774,802	16,450,706	258,659
Dates ....do	*c* 18,239,057	*c* 613,845	17,084,557	551,629	16,211,906	493,910	12,408,192	387,586	15,186,789	316,592
Figs ....do	9,201,565	697,562	8,338,759	511,142	10,503,928	548,995	7,985,959	392,040	11,855,890	587,420
Lemons		4,351,970		4,548,263		4,994,328		4,285,278		3,917,326
Oranges		2,339,987		1,210,338		1,695,469		1,127,005		1,997,266
Plums and prunes ....pounds	34,281,322	2,054,486	10,869,797	437,271	26,414,112	1,162,318	9,908,122	416,342	14,352,057	527,625
Raisins ....do	39,572,655	2,018,879	20,687,640	964,309	27,543,563	1,266,342	13,751,050	554,081	15,921,278	651,420
Prepared or preserved fruits		1,289,137		1,234,828		864,166		526,561		570,568
Other *e*		2,552,245		2,508,940		3,372,666		2,980,584		1,725,342
Total fruits *e*		23,018,937		18,176,471		20,944,918		16,566,782		15,227,079
Nuts—										
Almonds ....pounds	6,812,061	931,007	7,629,392	1,028,671	6,679,147	938,054	7,436,784	769,453	7,903,375	810,439
Cocoanuts		918,233		917,564		852,509		786,777		471,994
Other *f*		1,114,959		821,200		951,941		631,759		730,411
Total nuts *f*		2,964,199		2,767,435		2,742,504		2,187,989		2,012,844
Total fruits and nuts		25,983,136		20,943,906		23,687,422		18,754,771		17,239,923
Ginger, preserved or pickled		1,387		14,322		13,282		14,387		15,395
Glucose and grape sugar ....pounds	815,125	21,589	294,364	11,995	199,784	6,090	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)
Hay ....tons	58,242	445,461	79,715	715,151	104,257	964,755	86,784	761,940	201,900	1,433,716
Hops ....pounds	4,019,603	1,797,406	2,506,224	883,701	2,691,244	1,085,407	828,022	484,415	3,133,664	599,744
Indigo ....do	2,089,007	1,600,630	2,461,667	1,772,507	3,226,312	3,137,511	1,718,534	1,218,576	3,956,986	2,015,975
Malt, barley ....bushels	123,083	78,433	5,165	6,148	3,559	4,411	5,010	5,676	11,069	7,495
Malt extract, fluid or solid		(*d*)		46,956		50,618		28,253		51,501
Malt liquors:										
Bottled ....gallons	1,265,934	1,146,817	1,155,554	1,122,151	1,296,586	1,256,539	931,172	885,537	943,939	900,037

Unbottled ....do....	1,817,043	618,885	1,774,027	587,809	2,068,803	683,831	1,979,368	625,230	2,027,737	614,808
Total ....do....	3,082,977	1,765,702	2,929,581	1,709,960	3,365,389	1,940,370	2,910,540	1,510,767	2,971,676	1,514,845
Nursery stock (plants, trees, shrubs, vines, etc.) *g*	.....	189,763	.....	160,441	.....	145,609	.....	124,143	.....	632,523
Oil cake ....pounds..	2,739,323	23,846	10,366,156	106,811	7,302,527	82,916	7,600,871	37,588	6,794,531	47,774
Oil cake (substitute for india rubber)	.....	13,571	.....	27,704	.....	8,587	.....	(*d*)	.....	(*d*)
Oils, vegetable:										
Fixed or expressed—										
Olive, salad....gallons..	605,509	733,489	706,486	876,613	686,852	891,424	757,478	909,897	775,046	952,405
Other	.....	1,465,001	.....	2,239,540	.....	2,754,372	.....	1,730,797	.....	2,570,035
Volatile, or essential ....pounds..	3,459,533	1,523,491	3,451,519	1,676,064	4,022,117	1,654,036	2,861,875	1,102,108	(*d*)	1,398,956
Total	.....	3,721,981	.....	4,792,217	.....	5,299,832	.....	3,742,802	.....	4,921,396
Opium:										
Crude or unmanufactured....pounds..	466,554	1,202,375	587,118	1,029,203	615,957	1,186,824	716,881	1,691,914	358,455	730,669
Prepared ....do....	74,462	567,035	79,466	547,528	63,222	446,422	50,102	310,771	139,765	920,006
Total ....do....	541,016	1,769,410	666,584	1,576,731	679,179	1,633,246	766,983	2,002,685	498,220	1,650,675
Rice, rice meal, etc.:										
Rice ....do....	133,104,063	3,170,132	85,112,164	1,933,447	81,031,944	1,598,625	86,810,536	1,540,992	141,301,411	2,353,974
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice, pounds....	81,259,519	1,389,408	62,991,524	1,097,436	66,451,884	1,191,526	55,351,281	833,843	78,262,909	1,091,538
Total ....pounds..	214,363,582	4,559,540	148,103,688	3,030,883	147,483,828	2,790,151	142,161,817	2,374,835	219,564,320	3,445,512
Sauerkraut....	.....	44,999	.....	3,728	.....	39,153	.....	16,652	.....	25,898
Seeds:										
Linseed, or flaxseed....bushels..	1,515,546	1,667,552	285,140	319,418	112,015	146,818	592,820	701,866	4,166,222	4,554,484
Other *h*	.....	1,598,678	.....	1,945,419	.....	2,610,192	.....	1,693,737	.....	1,981,096
Total....	.....	3,266,230	.....	2,264,837	.....	2,757,010	.....	2,395,603	.....	6,535,580
Spices:										
Unground—										
Nutmegs ....pounds..	1,327,135	686,019	1,580,605	750,813	1,419,636	613,743	1,140,878	395,977	1,652,613	513,801
Pepper, black or white ....do....	13,564,583	1,338,637	14,799,322	1,069,268	21,467,275	1,278,062	12,764,215	665,576	20,501,837	791,343
Other (free of duty) ....do....	13,732,261	864,495	14,511,451	920,006	16,862,214	1,110,197	14,857,688	943,155	17,879,564	1,062,868
Ground (and other dutiable)....do....	1,769,626	262,682	2,381,248	307,738	2,488,466	298,008	1,664,246	257,845	2,058,782	272,223
Total ....do....	30,393,605	3,151,833	33,272,626	3,047,825	42,237,591	3,300,010	30,427,027	2,262,553	42,092,796	2,640,235

a Exclusive of natural flowers, undressed, dutiable. *b* Exclusive of natural flowers free of duty. *c* From October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1891, inclusive.
d Not stated. *e* Including nuts free of duty, except cocoanuts. *f* Exclusive of nuts free of duty, except cocoanuts.
g In 1891-1894, exclusive of bulbs and bulbous roots; from October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1894, exclusive of orchids, lilies of the valley, azaleas, palms, etc.; in 1894, exclusive of fruit plants, tropical or subtropical; and from August 27, 1894, to the end of the period, apparently including natural flowers free of duty.
h In 1891-1894, including bulbs and bulbous roots, and from October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1894, including orchids, lilies of the valley, azaleas, palms, etc., subsequently classed under "Nursery stock."

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Articles imported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Spirits, distilled:										
Of domestic manufacture, returned, proof gallons	1,791,591	$2,044,925	918,304	$1,079,385	915,688	$1,001,792	1,060,627	$910,526	770,124	$670,292
Brandy ... proof gallons	443,278	1,139,315	333,234	889,883	326,303	918,165	201,433	568,458	313,327	813,882
Other ... do	1,218,802	1,070,421	987,656	981,227	1,024,751	1,082,154	893,131	931,146	1,139,710	1,246,567
Total ... do	3,453,671	4,254,661	2,239,194	2,950,495	2,266,742	3,002,111	2,155,191	2,410,130	2,223,161	2,730,741
Starch ... pounds	3,922,333	93,923	843,304	22,820	3,855,437	90,483	2,045,216	42,606	4,265,650	82,150
Straw ... tons	7,178	25,521	5,002	18,798	8,892	30,681	8,313	27,300	7,745	24,544
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses ... gallons	20,604,463	2,659,172	22,448,209	2,877,744	15,490,679	1,992,334	19,670,663	1,984,778	15,075,879	1,295,146
Sugar—										
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—*a*										
Beet ... pounds	658,994,380	18,232,277	293,134,261	8,081,170	436,333,843	12,846,509	510,350,276	15,793,041	347,376,732	6,993,282
Cane and other ... do	2,820,266,403	87,334,078	3,248,494,502	95,761,312	3,296,706,423	102,108,587	3,775,878,029	108,842,016	3,168,781,436	67,836,512
Above No. 16 Dutch standard, *b* pounds	4,216,439	161,861	14,880,402	566,331	33,405,081	1,300,688	58,965,576	2,236,832	58,352,286	1,633,042
Total sugar ... pounds	3,483,477,222	105,728,216	3,556,509,165	104,408,813	3,766,445,347	116,255,784	4,345,193,881	126,871,889	3,574,510,454	76,462,836
Total sugar and molasses	.....	108,387,388	.....	107,286,557	.....	118,248,118	.....	128,856,667	.....	77,757,982
Sugar cane	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)	.....	3,843	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)
Tea ... pounds	83,453,339	13,828,993	90,079,039	14,373,222	89,061,287	13,857,482	93,518,717	14,144,243	97,253,458	13,171,379
Teazels	.....	(*c*)	.....	8,646	.....	5,703	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)
Tobacco:										
Suitable for cigar wrappers ... pounds	*d* 32,277	*d* 30,336	3,073,175	2,196,394	5,919,203	5,620,357	4,447,308	5,098,461	5,679,252	7,219,877
Other leaf, etc. (including stems *e*), pounds	*f* 23,223,218	*f* 13,256,758	18,915,360	8,136,029	22,191,175	9,082,083	15,215,951	5,886,925	20,989,009	7,525,843
Total ... pounds	23,255,495	13,287,094	21,988,535	10,332,423	28,110,378	14,702,440	19,663,259	10,985,386	26,668,261	14,745,720
Vanilla beans ... do	170,923	594,744	242,639	803,696	238,733	763,935	171,556	727,853	137,296	495,273
Vegetables:										
Beans and peas ... bushels	1,656,768	2,078,571	874,050	957,824	1,754,943	1,734,228	1,184,081	1,117,969	1,535,960	1,548,767
Potatoes ... do	5,401,912	2,797,927	186,871	186,006	4,317,021	2,066,589	3,002,578	1,277,194	1,341,533	603,554
Pickles and sauces	.....	511,163	.....	421,292	.....	454,099	.....	311,135	.....	321,632

Other—										
In their natural state	.....	1,020,194	.....	563,297	.....	691,968	.....	653,259	.....	679,894
Prepared or preserved	.....	668,519	.....	754,808	.....	639,805	.....	505,510	.....	817,689
Total	.....	7,076,374	.....	2,883,227	.....	5,586,689	.....	3,895,067	.....	3,971,536
Vinegar ....gallons	76,378	20,009	67,970	18,191	66,834	19,295	68,542	18,501	75,108	19,823
Wafers, unmedicated	.....	14,213	.....	11,928	.....	11,647	.....	20,423	.....	21,105
Wines:										
Champagne and other sparkling, dozen bottles	400,084	5,615,872	319,592	4,571,816	374,124	5,579,054	237,360	3,498,522	257,757	3,807,961
Still wines—										
Bottled....dozen bottles	348,666	1,749,372	365,140	1,908,203	413,860	2,121,275	296,097	1,423,143	296,779	1,430,229
Unbottled ....gallons	3,860,503	2,641,816	3,477,989	2,464,484	3,525,625	2,505,024	2,599,693	1,817,813	2,789,153	1,945,347
Total	.....	10,007,060	.....	8,944,503	.....	10,205,353	.....	6,739,478	.....	7,183,537
Sundries *g*	.....	44,166	.....	44,575	.....	24,053	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total vegetable matter	.....	337,366,337	.....	350,503,452	.....	330,356,282	.....	316,232,234	.....	286,060,995
Total agricultural imports	.....	420,211,949	.....	436,697,057	.....	425,657,448	.....	365,160,319	.....	373,115,985

a Prior to April 1, 1891, not above No. 13 Dutch standard. *b* Prior to April 1, 1891, above No. 13 Dutch standard.
c Not stated. *d* From October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1891, inclusive. *e* Except in 1892, 1893, and 1894.
f Including tobacco suitable for cigar wrappers prior to October 6, 1890; the imports of stems, not separately stated prior to October 6, 1890, amounted to 194,487 pounds, valued at $2,932, during the remainder of 1891.
g Comprising the following items: For 1891, cocoanut, desiccated, $31,163; cocoanut, ground, $1,075; coffee, ground, and extract of, $1,522; maize, burnt, $3,159; maple sirup, $604 (935 gallons); oat hulls, $1,711; olive pits, ground, $1,019; sugar drainings and sweepings, $1,349; and yams, $2,564. For 1892, cocoanut, desiccated, $24,356; coffee, ground, and extract of, $1,508; fiber not elsewhere specified, $3,190; indigo, white, $7,209; maize, burnt, $2,215; maple sirup, $962 (1,568 gallons); oat hulls, $1,350; olive nuts, ground, $1,055; and yams, $2,730. For 1893, cocoanut, desiccated, $2,237; coffee, ground, and extract of, $892; fiber not elsewhere specified, $14,807; maple sirup, $1,239 (1,744 gallons); straws for drinks, $2,256; and yams, $2,622.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900.

Articles imported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.										
Animals, live.										
Cattle.....number..	217,826	$1,509,856	328,977	$2,589,857	291,589	$2,913,223	199,752	$2,320,362	181,006	$2,257,694
Horses.....do....	9,991	662,591	6,998	464,808	3,085	414,899	3,042	551,050	3,102	596,592
Sheep.....do....	322,692	853,530	405,633	1,019,668	392,314	1,106,322	345,911	1,200,081	381,792	1,365,026
Other, including fowls.....	.....	226,500	.....	211,122	.....	239,681	.....	265,032	.....	311,638
Total.....	.....	3,252,477	.....	4,285,455	.....	4,674,125	.....	4,336,525	.....	4,530,950
Beeswax.....pounds..	273,464	75,970	174,017	43,339	272,097	72,473	452,016	109,957	213,813	51,526
Bones hoofs, and horns:										
Bones, crude.....	.....	157,946	.....	224,039	.....	492,544	.....	704,959	.....	830,063
Hoofs and horns.....	.....	568,445	.....	150,134						
Total.....	.....	726,391	.....	374,173	.....	492,544	.....	704,959	.....	830,063
Bristles:										
Crude.....pounds..	726	1,620	630	385	1,203	416	21,421	12,399	27,140	22,330
Sorted, bunched, or prepared...do....	1,571,804	1,433,728	1,347,270	1,216,794	1,533,887	1,248,703	1,835,156	1,445,853	2,503,018	2,130,537
Total.....do....	1,572,530	1,435,348	1,347,900	1,217,179	1,535,090	1,249,119	1,856,577	1,458,252	2,530,158	2,152,867
Dairy products:										
Butter.....do....	52,067	8,533	37,963	6,077	31,984	5,474	23,700	3,962	49,791	9,769
Cheese.....do....	10,728,397	1,491,338	12,319,122	1,668,796	10,012,188	1,343,173	11,826,175	1,563,128	13,455,990	1,761,613
Milk.....	.....	62,622	.....	58,467	.....	67,729	.....	52,603	.....	42,686
Total.....	.....	1,562,493	.....	1,733,340	.....	1,416,376	.....	1,619,693	.....	1,814,068
Eggs.....dozens..	947,132	88,682	580,681	47,760	166,319	8,078	225,180	21,300	135,038	8,741
Egg yolks.....	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	11,322	.....	19,594
Feathers and downs, crude.....	.....	2,386,804	.....	2,232,908	.....	2,238,955	.....	1,768,092	.....	1,736,458
Fibers, animal:										
Silk—										
Cocoons.....pounds..	279,067	112,900	.....	.....	10,492	3,999	13,537	2,288	30,004	18,235
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon, pounds.....	8,000,621	26,246,902	6,513,612	18,496,944	10,315,162	31,446,800	9,691,145	31,827,061	11,259,310	44,549,672
Waste.....pounds..	1,084,299	403,626	1,479,832	421,339	1,762,297	659,267	1,545,701	650,278	1,784,404	761,853
Total silk.....do....	9,363,987	26,763,428	7,993,444	18,918,283	12,087,951	32,110,066	11,250,383	32,479,627	13,073,718	45,329,760

Wools and hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals—										
Class 1, clothing—										
In the grease .....pounds..	117,233,440	19,448,471	176,350,510	27,824,507	43,061,372	7,302,841	12,973,444	1,948,402	37,404,243	8,009,985
Scoured .....do....			24,408,569	6,457,149	2,381,615	666,770	3,555	552		
Total class 1.....do....	117,233,440	19,448,471	200,759,079	34,281,656	45,442,987	7,969,611	12,976,999	1,948,954	37,404,243	8,009,985
Class 2, combing—										
In the grease .....do....	15,756,318	3,509,736	37,627,967	7,119,201	4,305,563	856,381	2,154,232	586,865	12,631,283	2,633,721
Scoured .....do....			323,523	68,419	15,310	3,218	1,187	196		
Total class 2.....do....	15,756,318	3,509,736	37,951,490	7,187,620	4,320,873	859,599	2,155,419	587,061	12,631,283	2,633,721
Class 3, carpet—										
In the grease .....do....	97,921,715	9,493,035	110,665,432	11,599,886	83,027,666	7,954,159	61,578,547	5,784,444	105,892,929	9,617,230
Scoured .....do....			1,476,025	174,029	3,676	323	25,244	2,438		
Total class 3.....do....	97,921,715	9,493,035	112,141,457	11,773,915	83,031,342	7,954,482	61,603,791	5,786,882	105,892,929	9,617,230
Total wools.....do....	230,911,473	32,451,242	350,852,026	53,243,191	132,795,202	16,783,692	76,736,209	8,322,897	155,928,455	20,260,936
Total animal fibers	.....	59,214,670	.....	72,161,474	.....	48,893,758	.....	40,802,524	.....	65,590,696
Gelatin	.....	15,386	.....	5,748	.....	25,907	.....	21,961	.....	30,361
Glue.....pounds..	6,276,926	555,979	4,926,620	472,312	4,103,814	428,507	5,358,063	479,450	5,577,082	537,492
Grease *b*	.....	1,232 001	.....	984,332	.....	593,239	.....	696,674	.....	779,666
Gut	.....	195,362	.....	180,721	.....	42,879	.....	15,905	.....	13,138
Hair	.....	1,244,077	.....	1,330,632	.....	1,839,668	.....	1,814,964	.....	2,445,964
Hide cuttings and other glue stock.....	.....	279,692	.....	289,686	.....	408,262	.....	708,968	.....	1,223,521
Hides and skins, (*c*) other than furs:										
Goatskins..... pounds..	46,747,029	10,304,395	49,868,020	11,328,162	64,923,487	15,776,601	69,728,945	18,488,326	81,998,818	21,987,674
Hides of cattle *d* .....do....	(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)	126,243,595	13,624,989	130,396,020	13,621,946	163,865,165	19,408,217
Other *e* .....do....	163,650,982	20,215,782	156,232,824	16,534,864	54,607,534	7,667,342	66,965,785	9,877,771	100,070,795	16,539,807
Total .....do....	210,398,011	30,520,177	206,100,844	27,863,026	245,774,616	37,068,932	267,090,750	41,988,043	345,934,778	57,935,698
Honey.....gallons..	79,985	30,609	66,432	27,599	96,604	38,158	126,217	51,599	146,860	70,857
Meat products:										
Meat and meat extracts	.....	493,393	.....	601,808	.....	345,108	.....	263,845	.....	365,589
Sausage, Bologna .....pounds..	359,260	80,887	328,080	76,303	(*a*)	82,546	(*a*)	93,714	(*a*)	95,944
Sausage casings.....	.....	588,657	.....	542,817	.....	537,871	.....	622,949	.....	646,889
Other *f*.....	.....	39,129	.....	49,484	.....	80,031	.....	114,843	.....	106,163
Total.....	.....	1,202,066	.....	1,270,412	.....	1,045,556	.....	1,095,351	.....	1,214,585

a Not stated. *b* Prior to July 24, 1897, including tallow, subsequently classed under "Other meat products" (dutiable).
c Except sheepskins with the wool on. *d* Exclusive of hides of cattle from the Hawaiian Islands (free of duty). *e* Including bird skins and fishskins prior to 1899.
f Exclusive of tallow (free of duty) prior to July 24, 1897. In 1899 and 1900, including "Tallow, under reciprocity treaty with Hawaii (free)," of which 142,050 pounds, valued at $5,196, were imported in 1899, and 10,690 pounds, valued at $437, in 1900.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.										
Oils, animal, except whale and fish, gallons	37,330	$12,213	38,334	$6,066	14,163	$5,715	9,056	$1,569	18,050	$3,255
Rennets	.....	51,073	.....	60,026	.....	90,757	.....	93,284	.....	66,907
Stearin ... pounds	523,341	37,020	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,865,977	25,546	1,524,722	27,895
Total animal matter	.....	104,118,490	.....	114,586,188	.....	100,633,008	.....	97,825,938	.....	141,084,302
VEGETABLE MATTER.										
Argols, or wine lees ... pounds	28,481,665	2,724,709	23,457,576	1,967,042	19,202,629	1,591,027	23,300,762	1,914,450	27,339,489	2,388,693
Breadstuffs:										
Barley ... bushels	837,384	317,209	1,271,787	394,749	124,804	43,863	110,475	53,696	189,757	91,040
Corn (maize) ... do	4,338	1,877	6,284	2,070	3,417	1,479	4,171	1,618	2,480	1,942
Oats ... do	47,506	13,039	46,459	12,071	9,098	3,368	11,500	4,432	41,523	18,360
Oatmeal ... pounds	343,732	19,689	1,525,409	32,742	287,910	15,697	298,764	17,740	234,959	13,499
Rye ... bushels	154	291	72	170	32,938	13,323	402	982	330	366
Wheat ... do	2,110,030	1,386,161	1,534,117	1,176,337	2,046,590	1,948,289	1,871,101	1,407,625	316,968	240,496
Wheat flour ... barrels	1,394	6,848	2,250	9,914	2,744	12,230	905	4,057	717	3,771
Other, and preparations of, used as food	.....	1,035,700	.....	1,146,710	.....	1,113,818	.....	1,054,615	.....	1,434,255
Total	.....	2,780,814	.....	2,774,763	.....	3,152,067	.....	2,544,765	.....	1,803,729
Broom corn ... tons	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	549	49,612
Chocolate, other than confectionery and sweetened chocolate ... pounds	1,145,467	198,417	1,467,977	239,819	992,288	149,866	1,124,515	201,439	1,209,012	240,141
Cider ... gallons	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	2,647	2,287
Cocoa:										
Crude, and leaves and shells of ... pounds	23,276,597	2,387,078	31,406,612	2,997,866	25,717,404	3,492,033	35,512,364	5,064,703	41,746,872	5,657,283
Prepared or manufactured ... do	1,244,309	410,249	1,495,459	443,604	815,824	290,844	926,219	295,413	1,012,368	313,561
Total ... do	24,520,906	2,797,327	32,902,071	3,441,470	26,533,228	3,782,877	36,438,583	5,360,116	42,759,240	5,970,844
Coffee ... do	580,597,915	84,793,124	737,645,670	81,544,384	870,514,455	65,067,631	831,827,063	55,275,470	787,991,911	52,467,943
Coffee substitutes:										
Chicory root—										
Raw, unground ... do	15,841,955	210,228	16,930,162	232,494	315,707	5,100	159,269	2,353	1,216,518	17,762
Roasted, ground, or otherwise prepared ... pounds	475,933	15,849	399,008	13,899	(a)	(a)	335,347	11,061	384,957	12,941
Total chicory root ... do	16,317,888	226,077	17,329,170	246,393	(a)	(a)	494,616	13,414	1,601,475	30,703

Other ... do	2,366,962	90,532	2,373,245	87,679	857,810	29,562	992,395	36,370	1,262,659	49,029
Total coffee substitutes ... do	18,684,850	316,609	19,702,415	334,072	(a)	(a)	1,487,011	49,784	2,864,134	79,732
Curry and curry powder		(a)		(a)		(a)		7,383		8,770
Fibers, vegetable:										
Cotton ... pounds	55,350,520	6,578,212	51,898,926	5,884,262	52,660,363	5,019,503	50,158,158	5,013,146	67,398,521	7,960,945
Flax ... tons	7,833	1,804,428	9,190	1,897,976	5,529	1,193,597	6,474	1,306,520	6,967	1,646,274
Hemp ... do	8,450	1,069,503	5,120	639,857	4,017	560,334	3,941	477,108	3,400	450,269
Istle, or Tampico fiber ... do	12,207	717,585	6,313	335,841	2,563	130,294	4,419	284,177	5,748	475,090
Jute and jute butts ... do	88,992	2,001,206	68,550	1,640,484	112,306	2,543,498	83,161	2,296,189	102,693	3,956,413
Manila hemp ... do	47,244	3,604,585	46,260	3,408,322	50,270	3,239,341	53,195	6,211,475	42,624	7,172,368
Sisal grass ... do	52,130	3,412,760	63,266	3,834,732	69,322	5,169,900	71,898	9,211,377	76,921	11,782,263
Other ... do	6,336	260,627	8,734	579,206	9,791	609,222	7,466	513,247	10,953	891,128
Total		19,448,906		18,220,680		18,465,689		25,313,239		34,334,750
Flowers, natural, preserved or fresh b		10,386		10,334		11,914		19,392		30,621
Fruit juices, n. e. s.:										
Prune juice or prune wine ... gallons	34,422	28,566	34,546	24,222	26,174	23,285	35,047	27,204	40,761	33,215
Other, including cherry juice ... do	(a)	47,285	(a)	56,767	52,968	25,879	44,841	23,173	48,727	30,087
Total ... do	(a)	75,851	(a)	80,989	79,142	49,164	79,888	50,377	89,488	63,302
Fruits and nuts:										
Fruits—										
Bananas		4,502,746		4,086,320		4,236,418		5,665,588		5,877,835
Currants ... pounds	33,040,846	551,072	29,265,761	596,084	25,186,210	837,987	30,849,253	798,357	36,251,779	916,908
Dates ... do	13,680,302	273,456	11,847,279	284,056	13,561,434	371,992	12,943,305	324,087	19,902,512	410,349
Figs ... do	11,900,710	639,512	8,940,762	535,380	9,628,426	509,002	7,284,058	356,762	8,812,487	513,895
Lemons ... do	(a)	5,040,344	(a)	4,043,822	(a)	2,848,130	225,942,718	4,398,004	160,198,056	3,666,881
Oranges ... do	(a)	2,694,131	(a)	2,324,907	(a)	886,722	83,497,669	1,097,596	68,618,938	1,087,041
Plums and prunes ... do	483,658	68,862	710,028	73,303	303,992	39,660	600,360	63,574	443,457	47,700
Raisins ... do	10,826,094	460,200	12,650,598	567,039	6,593,833	381,889	4,933,201	282,400	10,309,498	531,124
Prepared or preserved fruits		598,928		605,053		922,357		1,020,644		1,243,479
Other c		2,128,056		1,810,807		1,294,855		1,579,652		1,989,546
Total fruits c		16,957,307		14,926,771		12,329,012		15,586,664		16,284,758
Nuts—										
Almonds ... pounds	7,789,681	763,594	9,644,338	880,263	5,746,362	659,659	9,957,427	1,222,587	6,317,633	949,083
Cocoanuts		442,739		471,387		575,935		625,789		702,947
Other d		868,799		848,511		1,002,344		879,166		1,326,804
Total nuts d		2,075,132		2,200,161		2,237,938		2,727,542		2,978,834
Total fruits and nuts		19,032,439		17,126,932		14,566,950		18,314,206		19,263,592

a Not stated.
b Exclusive of natural flowers free of duty. Since July 24, 1897, all natural flowers imported have been dutiable.
c Including nuts free of duty, except cocoanuts.
d Exclusive of nuts free of duty, except cocoanuts.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Ginger, preserved or pickled .....pounds..	(a)	$23,547	(a)	$7,123	(a)	$14,295	142,698	$6,309	429,198	$17,917
Hay .....tons..	302,652	2,773,535	119,942	1,030,497	3,887	34,659	19,872	115,409	143,890	1,019,743
Hops .....pounds..	2,772,045	600,419	3,017,821	629,987	2,375,922	648,155	1,319,319	591,755	2,589,725	713,701
Indigo.....do....	3,340,001	1,673,170	3,522,016	1,696,641	3,097,340	1,815,411	3,127,357	1,698,583	2,746,944	1,446,490
Malt, barley .....bushels..	5,579	4,774	11,084	9,384	4,769	4,412	4,984	4,447	4,399	4,127
Malt extract, fluid or solid.....	.....	23,889	.....	11,485	.....	6,917	.....	5,320	.....	4,320
Malt liquors:										
Bottled .....gallons..	1,038,641	1,007,146	1,048,994	1,025,867	733,535	695,102	918,562	917,186	1,081,818	1,079,723
Unbottled .....do....	2,244,763	657,870	1,915,650	534,426	1,777,202	506,428	1,928,672	570,692	2,228,502	647,533
Total .....do....	3,283,404	1,665,016	2,964,644	1,560,293	2,510,737	1,201,530	2,847,234	1,487,878	3,310,320	1,727,256
Nursery stock (plants, trees, shrubs, vines, etc.)	.....	955,307	.....	963,977	.....	762,158	.....	768,982	.....	972,385
Oil cake .....pounds..	7,473,016	45,725	3,098,364	20,313	2,159,809	8,799	1,885,648	9,553	208,657	1,437
Oil cake (substitute for india rubber).....	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	1,149	.....	846
Oils, vegetable:										
Fixed or expressed—										
Olive, salad .....gallons..	942,598	1,107,049	928,567	1 134,077	736,877	923,804	930,042	1,090,250	967,702	1,170,871
Other	.....	2,557,026	.....	2,353,084	.....	2,434,209	.....	2,519,157	.....	3,290,656
Volatile, or essential	.....	1,554,289	.....	1,885,523	.....	1,511,078	.....	1,691,257	.....	1,859,184
Total.....	.....	5,218,364	.....	5,372,684	.....	4,869,091	.....	5,300,664	.....	6,320,711
Opium:										
Crude or unmanufactured ...pounds..	365,514	683,347	1,072,914	2,184,727	123,845	265,607	513,499	1,223,951	544,938	1,123,756
Prepared .....do....	98,745	735,134	157,061	1,132,861	100,258	652,341	124,214	828,203	142,479	1,065,965
Total .....do....	464,259	1,418,481	1,229,975	3,317,588	224,103	917,948	637,713	2,052,154	687,417	2,189,721
Rice, rice meal, etc.:										
Rice .....do....	78,190,334	1,274,574	133,939,930	2,555,960	129,810,630	2,793,111	153,837,026	3,152,771	93,648,451	1,904,915
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice, pounds.....	68,534,273	911,005	63,876,204	961,200	60,474,685	953,722	50,340,267	777,378	23,031,440	374,121
Total .....pounds..	146,724,607	2,185,579	197,816,134	3,517,160	190,285,315	3,746,833	204,177,293	3,930,149	116,679,891	2,279,036
Sauerkraut.....	.....	7,895	.....	1,831	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)

Seeds:										
Linseed, or flaxseed.....bushels..	754,507	812,940	105,222	108,871	136,098	150,515	81,953	87,602	67,379	94,126
Other	.....	1,870,214	.....	1,315,055	.....	1,081,251	.....	1,134,243	.....	1,700,922
Total.....	.....	2,683,154	.....	1,423,926	.....	1,231,766	.....	1,221,845	.....	1,795,048
Spices:										
Unground—										
Nutmegs .....pounds..	1,355,420	433,436	1,669,740	451,614	1,213,994	331,235	1,530,102	368,765	1,590,811	351,383
Pepper, black or white.....do....	16,644,763	650,861	15,033,452	711,453	14,080,136	909,711	12,332,747	1,083,100	13,085,333	1,283,635
Other (free of duty).....do....	19,193,589	999,226	20,411,490	1,076,963	13,784,689	898,992	13,851,055	997,783	19,652,762	1,376,243
Ground (and other dutiable)....do....	2,618,214	294,996	3,030,031	336,686	2,658,706	264,691	3,346,925	332,653	4,516,709	390,004
Total .....do....	39,811,986	2,378,519	40,144,713	2,576,716	31,737,525	2,404,629	31,060,829	2,782,301	38,845,615	3,401,265
Spirits, distilled:										
Of domestic manufacture, returned, proof gallons.....	1,029,653	940,060	956,760	863,558	854,586	734,901	998,173	834,948	687,024	630,574
Brandy .....proof gallons..	259,704	690,761	337,595	911,721	137,902	395,758	219,968	626,875	244,100	696,540
Other.....do....	1,249,895	1,446,873	1,727,110	2,074,835	770,830	1,004,135	1,227,834	1,683,256	1,550,896	2,282,717
Total .....do....	2,539,252	3,077,694	3,021,465	3,850,114	1,763,318	2,134,794	2,445,975	3,145,079	2,482,020	3,609,831
Starch .....pounds..	3,467,399	62,756	2,941,253	51,812	6,120,924	103,780	8,542,897	140,528	11,767,924	222,296
Straw .....tons..	7,879	31,140	9,386	31,768	1,448	4,463	2,075	4,564	5,495	15,750
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....gallons..	4,687,664	737,265	3,702,471	586,513	3,603,547	544,016	5,821,556	789,576	7,025,068	890,524
Sugar—										
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—										
Beet .....pounds..	604,686,985	14,048,914	1,865,577,495	33,689,158	140,641,485	2,717,955	723,336,352	15,269,397	701,539,452	14,800,609
Cane and other.....do....	3,104,187,781	69,817,286	2,854,192,069	60,448,873	2,448,190,703	55,319,873	3,194,168,454	78,001,772	3,305,087,796	85,059,367
Above No. 16 Dutch standard, pounds.....	187,463,791	5,353,573	199,136,169	4,928,150	101,088,663	2,434,921	62,745,763	1,692,951	11,459,282	390,998
Total sugar.....pounds..	3,896,338,557	89,219,773	4,918,905,733	99,066,181	2,689,920,851	60,472,749	3,980,250,569	94,964,120	4,018,086,530	100,250,974
Total sugar and molasses.....	.....	89,957,038	.....	99,652,694	.....	61,016,765	.....	95,753,696	.....	101,141,498
Tea.....pounds..	93,998,372	12,704,440	113,347,175	14,835,862	71,957,715	10,054,283	74,089,899	9,675,081	84,845,107	10,558,110
Tobacco:										
Suitable for cigar wrappers .....do....	5,211,852	5,596,778	6,057,268	5,663,214	3,988,561	3,913,294	4,147,048	4,349,034	5,561,068	5,122,359
Other leaf, etc. (including stems), pounds.....	27,713,114	10,906,352	7,747,959	3,920,941	6,488,547	3,575,314	9,888,781	5,551,219	14,058,559	8,174,864
Total .....pounds..	32,924,966	16,503,130	13,805,227	9,584,155	10,477,108	7,488,608	14,035,829	9,900,253	19,619,627	13,297,223
Vanilla beans .....do....	235,763	1,013,608	165,001	884,865	63,997	279,755	272,174	1,235,412	255,966	1,209,334

a Not stated.

b Apparently including natural flowers free of duty prior to July 24, 1897.

Agricultural imports of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Vegetables:										
Beans and peas ..... bushels..	613,801	$658,320	482,984	$489,274	163,560	$149,227	184,499	$165,830	967,031	$1,049,443
Cabbages ..... number..	1,261,696	55,644	711,033	38,906	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Onions ..... bushels..	(a)	(a)	560,138	627,273	488,853	429,173	771,960	499,520	546,798	357,901
Potatoes ..... do....	175,240	127,595	246,178	145,584	1,171,378	473,154	530,420	294,391	155,861	147,349
Pickles and sauces	.....	324,377	.....	332,243	.....	243,354	.....	352,022	.....	306,223
Other—										
In their natural state	.....	683,117	.....	256,752	.....	239,733	.....	312,673	.....	371,963
Prepared or preserved	.....	727,797	.....	720,822	.....	499,959	.....	554,302	.....	702,198
Total	.....	2,576,850	.....	2,610,854	.....	2,034,600	.....	2,178,738	.....	2,935,077
Vinegar ..... gallons..	81,075	24,552	76,123	20,519	85,556	22,313	93,443	23,534	122,479	30,724
Wafers, unmedicated	.....	16,748	.....	20,082	.....	11,797	.....	14,733	.....	15,629
Wines:										
Champagne and other sparkling, dozen bottles	246,393	3,628,319	228,628	3,348,004	223,827	3,264,323	262,371	3,668,791	310,149	4,115,908
Still wines—										
Bottled ..... dozen bottles..	314,190	1,527,916	309,281	1,475,211	268,921	1,312,147	274,875	1,347,842	315,920	1,560,851
Unbottled ..... gallons..	2,834,898	1,950,770	2,997,952	2,039,250	1,930,870	1,392,710	2,253,226	1,573,573	2,533,828	1,744,736
Total	.....	7,107,005	.....	6,862,465	.....	5,969,180	.....	6,590,206	.....	7,421,495
Total vegetable matter	.....	286,910,917	.....	286,285,280	.....	213,658,788	.....	257,688,943	.....	279,054,986
Total agricultural imports	.....	391,029,407	.....	400,871,468	.....	314,291,796	.....	355,514,881	.....	420,139,288

a Not stated.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895.

Articles exported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.										
Animals, live:										
Cattle.....number..	374,679	$30,445,249	394,607	$35,099,095	287,094	$26,032,428	359,278	$33,461,922	331,722	$30,603,796
Hogs.....do....	95,654	1,146,630	31,963	364,081	27,375	397,162	1,553	14,753	7,130	72,424
Horses.....do....	3,110	784,908	3,226	611,188	2,967	718,607	5,246	1,108,995	13,984	2,209,298
Mules.....do....	2,184	278,658	1,965	238,591	1,634	210,278	2,063	240,961	2,515	186,452
Sheep.....do....	60,947	261,109	46,960	161,105	37,260	126,394	132,370	832,763	405,748	2,630,686
Other, including fowls.....	.....	18,532	.....	24,161	.....	43,116	.....	53,247	.....	51,389
Total.....	.....	32,935,086	.....	36,498,221	.....	27,527,985	.....	35,712,641	.....	35,754,045
Beeswax.....pounds..	120,548	30,027	127,470	31,898	77,434	22,048	469,763	118,093	309,212	90,875
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....	.....	335,710	.....	218,639	.....	319,848	.....	260,675	.....	288,084
Bristles.....	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	1,844	.....	3,901
Dairy products:										
Butter.....pounds..	15,187,114	2,197,106	15,047,246	2,445,878	8,920,107	1,672,690	11,812,092	2,077,608	5,598,812	915,533
Cheese.....do....	82,133,876	7,405,376	82,100,221	7,676,657	81,350,923	7,624,648	73,852,134	7,180,331	60,448,421	5,497,539
Milk.....	.....	261,298	.....	236,358	.....	274,155	.....	322,288	.....	219,785
Total.....	.....	9,863,780	.....	10,358,893	.....	9,571,493	.....	9,580,227	.....	6,632,857
Eggs.....dozens..	363,116	64,259	183,063	32,374	143,489	33,207	163,061	27,497	151,007	25,317
Egg yolks.....	.....	(a)	.....	5,500	.....	1,700	.....	2,928	.....	2,255
Feathers:										
Ostrich.....	b 366,453	b 80,072	(a)	134,595	.....	1,500	.....	6,500	.....	9
Other.....pounds..					b 467,362	b 46,987	(a)	c 155,795	c 1,284,895	c 215,681
Total.....	.....	80,072	.....	134,595	.....	48,487	.....	162,295	.....	215,690
Glue.....pounds..	986,552	110,292	580,815	66,403	736,446	74,722	999,052	101,372	1,178,328	114,493
Grease, grease scraps, and other soap stock..	.....	2,038,886	.....	1,298,598	.....	1,067,723	.....	1,380,299	.....	904,071
Hair (including manufactures of).....	.....	394,544	.....	370,169	.....	459,648	.....	353,729	.....	505,029
Hides and skins, other than furs..pounds..	(a)	1,333,655	(a)	1,223,895	(a)	1,497,003	(a)	3,972,494	36,002,859	2,310,323
Honey.....	.....	83,325	.....	78,048	.....	15,115	.....	127,282	.....	118,873
Meat products:										
Beef products—										
Beef, canned.....pounds..	109,585,727	9,068,906	87,028,084	7,876,454	79,089,493	7,222,824	55,974,910	5,120,851	64,102,263	5,720,933
Beef, fresh.....do....	194,045,638	15,322,054	220,554,617	18,053,732	206,294,724	17,754,041	193,891,824	16,700,163	191,338,487	16,832,860
Beef, salted or pickled.....do....	90,286,979	5,048,788	70,204,736	3,987,829	58,423,963	3,185,321	62,682,667	3,572,054	62,473,325	3,558,230

a Not stated. b Crude only. c Exclusive of egret feathers.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895—Continued.

Articles exported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.										
Meat products—Continued.										
Beef products—Continued.										
Beef, other cured .....pounds..	1,621,833	$147,518	953,712	$92,524	898,920	$87,776	1,218,334	$100,631	821,673	$73,569
Tallow .....do....	111,689,251	5,501,049	89,780,010	4,425,630	61,819,153	3,129,059	54,661,524	2,766,164	25,864,300	1,293,059
Total beef products.....do....	507,229,428	35,088,315	468,521,159	34,436,169	406,526,253	31,379,021	368,429,259	28,259,863	341,600,048	27,478,651
Hog products—										
Bacon .....do....	514,675,557	37,404,989	507,919,830	39,334,933	391,758,175	35,781,470	416,657,577	38,338,843	452,549,976	37,776,293
Hams.....do....	84,410,108	8,245,685	76,856,559	7,757,717	82,178,154	9,933,096	86,970,571	9,845,062	105,494,123	10,960,567
Pork, fresh .....do....	818,875	56,358	377,746	30,246	912,644	79,317	1,168,647	92,095	818,581	60,660
Pork, salted or pickled.....do....	81,317,364	4,787,343	80,336,481	4,792,049	52,459,722	4,116,946	63,575,881	5,067,773	58,266,893	4,138,400
Lard.....do....	498,343,927	34,414,323	460,045,776	33,201,621	365,693,501	34,643,993	447,566,867	40,089,809	474,895,274	36,821,508
Total hog products *a*.....do....	1,179,565,831	84,908,698	1,125,536,392	85,116,566	893,002,196	84,554,822	1,015,939,543	93,433,582	1,092,024,847	89,757,428
Mutton.....do....	199,395	18,959	101,463	9,022	108,214	9,175	2,197,900	174,404	591,449	47,832
Oleo and oleomargarin:										
Oleo oil.....do....	80,231,035	7,859,130	91,581,703	9,011,889	113,939,363	11,207,250	123,295,895	11,942,842	78,098,878	7,107,018
Oleomargarin (imitation butter), pounds.....	1,986,743	255,024	1,610,837	195,087	3,479,322	416,386	3,898,950	475,003	10,100,897	992,464
Total oleo and oleomargarin, pounds.....	82,217,778	8,114,154	93,192,540	9,207,476	117,418,685	11,623,636	127,194,845	12,417,845	88,199,775	8,099,482
Poultry and game.....	.....	15,808	.....	13,828	.....	17,978	.....	18,633	.....	17,898
Sausage casings.....	.....	841,075	.....	878,675	.....	1,409,280	.....	1,280,514	.....	1,581,891
Other meat products *b*	.....	1,007,757	.....	1,220,205	.....	1,245,466	.....	1,386,089	.....	1,600,231
Total meat products.....	.....	129,994,766	.....	130,881,941	.....	130,239,378	.....	136,970,930	.....	128,583,413
Oils, animal, not elsewhere specified:										
Lard oil.....gallons..	1,092,448	562,986	907,575	496,601	486,812	336,613	681,081	449,571	553,421	304,093
Other, except whale and fish....do....	512,253	317,594	278,954	144,119	212,266	106,275	270,835	149,801	144,556	75,585
Total .....do....	1,604,701	880,580	1,186,529	640,720	699,078	442,888	951,916	599,372	697,977	379,678
Quills	.....	13,777	.....	4,186	.....	12,450	.....	15,440	.....	13,653
Rennets, prepared	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)	.....	780	.....	1,320	.....	1,801
Silk noils.....	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)	.....	3,140	.....	(*c*)	.....	(*c*)
Silk waste.....pounds..	132,799	48,875	184,011	77,523	161,519	55,081	97,787	28,813	65,673	23,391

Silkworm eggs		(c)		7,410		6,500		683		2,850
Stearin ... pounds	1,347,386	62,194	1,350,513	66,470	293,423	14,669	321,898	17,938	36,429	2,157
Wool ... do	291,922	39,423	202,456	30,664	91,858	14,808	520,247	90,676	4,279,109	484,463
Total animal matter		178,309,251		182,026,147		171,428,673		189,526,548		176,457,219
VEGETABLE MATTER.										
Breadstuffs:										
Barley ... bushels	973,062	669,203	2,800,075	1,751,445	3,035,267	1,468,843	5,219,405	2,379,714	1,563,754	767,228
Bread and bisenit ... pounds	15,541,655	838,848	14,449,625	775,596	14,583,967	752,353	15,185,175	723,873	14,206,314	634,600
Corn (maize) ... bushels	30,768,213	17,652,687	75,451,849	41,590,460	46,037,274	24,587,511	65,324,841	30,211,154	27,691,137	14,650,767
Corn meal ... barrels	318,329	946,977	287,609	919,961	271,155	793,081	291,172	770,526	223,567	648,844
Oats ... bushels	953,010	405,708	9,425,078	3,842,559	2,380,643	951,920	5,750,266	2,027,934	569,977	200,793
Oatmeal ... pounds	7,736,873	221,316	20,908,190	555,957	5,762,701	160,660	9,719,337	238,528	20,499,253	566,321
Rye ... bushels	332,739	212,161	12,041,316	11,432,160	1,477,058	1,002,796	230,822	126,532	9,437	5,340
Rye flour ... barrels	4,254	18,185	4,552	22,461	2,811	10,290	3,055	9,273	3,768	12,062
Wheat ... bushels	55,131,948	51,420,272	157,280,351	161,399,132	117,121,109	93,534,970	88,415,230	59,407,041	76,102,704	43,805,663
Wheat flour ... barrels	11,344,304	54,705,616	15,196,769	75,362,283	16,620,339	75,494,347	16,859,533	69,271,770	15,268,892	51,651,928
Other, and preparations of, used as food		1,030,683		1,711,103		1,555,883		1,610,884		1,661,234
Total		128,121,656		299,363,117		200,312,654		166,777,229		114,604,780
Broom corn		172,191		218,133		163,105		210,742		169,503
Cider ... gallons	353,833	63,582	722,959	101,710	732,607	97,352	460,690	65,686	669,745	85,675
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate		86,936		70,651		93,292		137,777		104,317
Cotton:										
Sea-island ... bales	37,678	3,062,968	22,866	1,591,464	20,696	1,758,756	37,191	2,904,905	39,333	2,782,639
Sea-island ... pounds	14,588,092		9,074,686		7,983,415		14,255,439		15,261,322	
Upland and other ... bales	5,783,101	287,649,930	5,868 545	256,869,777	4,410,524	187,012,689	5,360,318	207,964,384	6,926,025	202,118,351
Upland and other ... pounds	2,892,770,703		2,926,145,125		2,204,131,711		2,669,026,886		3,502,171,787	
Total ... bales	5,820,779	290,712,898	5,891,411	258,461,241	4,431,220	188,771,445	5,397,509	210,869,289	6,965,358	204,900,990
Total ... pounds	2,907,358,795		2,935,219,811		2,212,115,126		2,683,282,325		3,517,433,109	
Cotton-seed hulls		(c)		(c)		(c)		1,747		235
Flax		(c)		(c)		(c)		900		906
Flowers, cut		(c)		(c)		623		1,588		2,521
Fruits and nuts:										
Fruits—										
Apples, dried ... pounds	6,973,168	409,605	26,042,063	1,288,102	7,966,819	482,085	2,846,645	168,054	7,085,946	461,214
Apples, green or ripe ... barrels	135,207	476,897	938,743	2,407,956	408,014	1,097,967	78,580	242,617	818,711	1,954,318
Other green, ripe, or dried		699,798		1,095,845		881,804		1,016,397		1,522,100
Preserved—										
Canned		703,880		1,558,820		1,137,660		660,723		871,465
Other		93,996		214,738		224,381		211,215		47,420
Total fruits		2,384,176		6,565,461		3,823,897		2,299,006		4,856,517

a Exclusive of canned pork. b Including canned pork. c Not stated.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895—Continued.

Articles exported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Nuts	.....	$50,617	.....	$60,684	.....	$94,902	.....	$125,233	.....	$115,274
Total fruits and nuts	.....	2,434,793	.....	6,626,145	.....	3,918,799	.....	2,424,239	.....	4,971,791
Ginseng ....pounds..	283,000	959,992	228,916	803,529	251,205	792,928	194,564	619,114	233,236	826,713
Glucose and grape sugar ....do....	58,149,427	1,394,131	96,486,953	2,272,779	101,546,814	2,204,216	124,796,288	2,328,707	133,808,329	2,567,784
Grasses, dried	.....	(a)	.....	b 24,553	.....	33,381	.....	36,205	.....	19,781
Hay ....tons..	28,066	470,228	35,201	582,838	33,084	519,640	54,446	890,654	47,117	699,029
Hops ....pounds..	8,736,080	2,327,474	12,604,686	2,420,502	11,367,030	2,695,867	17,472,975	3,844,232	17,523,388	1,872,597
Lard substitutes, not elsewhere specified (cottolene, lardine, etc.) ....pounds..	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	911,767	72,871	1,022,046	77,984	503,859	38,122
Malt....bushels..	101,069	90,898	102,486	94,797	114,520	85,630	89,897	61,186	162,006	110,323
Malt liquors:										
Bottled....dozen bottles..	413,278	602,641	402,358	589,784	417,704	600,319	351,625	471,589	426,777	492,448
Unbottled ....gallons..	242,991	69,602	260,724	68,150	245,497	65,219	307,077	77,390	258,620	66,322
Total	.....	672,243	.....	657,934	.....	665,538	.....	548,979	.....	558,770
Must	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	32,870	.....	51,308	.....	16,000
Nursery stock	.....	33,830	.....	34,631	.....	74,663	.....	140,415	.....	129,551
Oil cake and oil-cake meal:										
Cotton-seed....pounds..	633,344,851	7,452,094	826,398,719	9,713,204	802,416,067	9,688,773	744,603,229	8,807,256	489,716,053	4,310,128
Flaxseed, or linseed....do....									243,936,442	2,855,459
Total ....do....	633,344,851	7,452,094	826,398,719	9,713,204	802,416,067	9,688,773	744,603,229	8,807,256	733,652,495	7,165,587
Oils, vegetable:										
Cotton-seed....gallons..	11,003,160	3,975,305	13,859,278	4,982,285	9,462,074	3,927,556	14,958,309	6,008,405	21,187,728	6,813,313
Linseed ....do....	76,789	48,267	112,386	54,020	103,936	54,356	92,861	48,550	62,718	37,363
Volatile, or essential—										
Peppermint ....pounds..	45,321	120,831	54,987	156,418	99,629	267,422	80,225	209,722	87,633	194,616
Other	.....	65,104	.....	68,501	.....	79,920	.....	64,907	.....	190,798
All other	.....	93,429	.....	73,731	.....	236,101	.....	129,041	.....	106,022
Total	.....	4,302,936	.....	5,334,955	.....	4,565,355	.....	6,460,625	.....	7,342,112
Rice, rice meal, etc.:										
Rice ....pounds..	540,620	33,012	10,256,796	89,340	756,992	25,126	763,425	19,884	124,296	4,687
Rice bran, meal, and polish....do....	2,950,275	26,702			12,954,806	128,208	10,002,824	92,255	1,499,040	11,767
Total ....do....	3,490,895	59,714	10,256,796	89,340	13,711,798	153,334	10,766,249	112,139	1,623,336	16,454

Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s	.....	178,581	.....	198,744	.....	194,715	.....	244,438	.....	232,095
Seeds:										
Clover ..... pounds..	20,773,884	1,575,039	19,532,411	1,636,671	8,189,553	988,029	45,418,663	4,540,851	22,900,672	2,124,997
Cotton ..... do....	10,108,014	85,315	12,149,261	86,549	4,519,327	35,809	5,419,056	41,866	11,051,812	86,695
Flaxseed, or linseed ..... bushels..	144,848	184,564	3,613,187	3,915,547	1,837,370	2,195,374	2,047,836	2,426,284	1,224	1,433
Timothy ..... pounds..	8,757,788	370,151	10,318,074	381,651	7,077,131	504,937	10,155,867	449,207	4,939,237	277,160
Other	.....	285,830	.....	231,864	.....	269,580	.....	484,013	.....	358,860
Total	.....	2,500,899	.....	6,252,282	.....	3,993,729	.....	7,942,221	.....	2,849,145
Spices	.....	22,440	.....	2,673	.....	1,415	.....	1,205	.....	871
Spirits, distilled:										
Alcohol, (c) including cologne spirits, proof gallons	418,935	180,299	1,440,219	475,937	162,181	52,328	173,527	62,166	676,832	181,393
Brandy ..... proof gallons..	136,529	111,657	216,696	178,294	123,518	90,731	361,653	291,022	100,719	94,924
Rum ..... do....	1,025,226	1,230,994	773,713	921,913	647,415	778,006	977,994	1,081,716	879,153	1,134,965
Whisky—										
Bourbon ..... do....	239,995	260,871	744,172	664,330	1,550,452	1,461,013	4,105,639	3,720,562	1,442,685	1,485,525
Rye ..... do....	54,656	82,671	128,273	135,045	142,646	179,534	256,816	266,293	17,672	34,755
Other ..... do....	29,631	20,939	47,724	25,598	296,708	162,445	592,387	255,177	154,703	60,124
Total ..... do....	1,904,972	1,887,431	3,350,797	2,401,117	2,922,920	2,724,057	6,468,016	5,676,936	3,271,764	2,991,686
Starch ..... pounds..	12,883,821	475,817	20,081,027	612,531	21,938,456	707,093	22,888,016	727,011	11,788,990	366,800
Straw	.....	975	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	121	.....	3,639
Sugar, molasses and sirup:										
Molasses and sirup ..... gallons..	4,495,475	768,306	9,343,214	1,057,216	8,373,286	992,471	9,385,359	1,038,680	9,148,711	850,400
Sugar—										
Brown ..... pounds..	204,854	11,235	245,783	8,682	359,455	13,175	690,080	25,931	695,486	22,052
Refined ..... do....	108,228,620	6,138,746	14,604,608	665,477	20,386,872	963,123	14,778,416	653,052	8,833,522	406,924
Total sugar ..... do....	108,433,474	6,149,981	14,850,391	674,159	20,746,327	976,298	15,468,496	678,983	9,529,008	428,976
Total sugar, molasses, and sirup.	.....	6,918,287	.....	1,731,375	.....	1,968,769	.....	1,717,663	.....	1,279,376
Teazels	.....	6,954	.....	8,207	.....	1,353	.....	3,487	.....	1,281
Tobacco:										
Leaf ..... pounds..	236,969,589	20,710,911	240,716,150	20,303,245	248,367,258	22,292,704	268,791,312	22,939,356	293,805,855	25,622,776
Stems and trimmings ..... do....	12,263,016	322,848	14,715,927	366,800	17,715,825	599,195	21,893,680	1,145,878	7,186,075	176,192
Total ..... do....	249,232,605	21,033,759	255,432,077	20,670,045	266,083,083	22,891,899	290,684,992	24,085,234	300,991,930	25,798,968
Vegetables:										
Beans and peas ..... bushels..	251,063	473,006	637,972	945,767	389,913	745,636	326,748	576,657	242,680	429,002
Onions ..... do....	57,182	79,993	59,842	58,121	57,610	60,878	68,865	69,823	53,335	46,703
Potatoes ..... do....	341,189	316,482	557,022	361,378	845,720	700,032	803,111	651,877	572,957	418,221

a Not stated. *b* Including flowers. *c* Including wood alcohol.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1895—Continued.

Articles exported.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Vegetables—Continued.										
Vegetables, canned	.....	$286,321	.....	$373,068	.....	$242,284	.....	$255,857	.....	$441,388
Other, including pickles and sauces	.....	180,173	.....	159,811	.....	149,167	.....	190,248	.....	208,144
Total	.....	1,335,975	.....	1,898,145	.....	1,897,997	.....	1,744,462	.....	1,543,458
Vinegar ..... gallons	68,733	10,489	74,890	11,690	86,936	12,177	68,282	9,537	80,234	11,273
Wines:										
Bottled ..... dozen bottles	11,409	52,392	14,834	67,686	11,128	51,654	13,813	63,860	13,919	56,202
Unbottled ..... gallons	543,292	319,085	655,795	371,344	708,558	369,893	802,192	380,588	1,125,297	545,708
Total	.....	371,477	.....	439,030	.....	421,547	.....	444,448	.....	601,910
Yeast	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	15,911	.....	42,435	.....	44,599
Total vegetable matter	.....	474,098,680	.....	621,095,898	.....	449,772,998	.....	447,107,199	.....	381,928,642
Total agricultural exports	.....	652,407,931	.....	803,122,045	.....	621,201,671	.....	636,633,747	.....	558,385,861

a Not stated.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900.

Articles exported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.										
Animals, live:										
Cattle ..... number	372,461	$34,560,672	392,190	$36,357,451	439,255	$37,827,500	389,490	$30,516,833	397,286	$30,635,153
Hogs ..... do	21,049	227,297	28,751	295,998	14,411	110,487	33,031	227,241	51,180	394,813
Horses ..... do	25,126	3,530,703	39,532	4,769,265	51,150	6,176,569	45,778	5,444,342	64,722	7,612,616
Mules ..... do	5,918	406,161	7,475	545,331	8,098	664,789	6,755	516,908	43,369	3,919,478
Sheep ..... do	491,565	3,076,384	244,120	1,531,645	199,690	1,213,886	143,286	853,555	125,772	733,477
Other, including fowls	.....	39,752	.....	68,771	.....	250,175	.....	322,037	.....	289,494
Total	.....	41,840,969	.....	43,568,461	.....	46,243,406	.....	37,880,916	.....	43,585,031

Beeswax ..... pounds..	222,612	65,844	195,048	56,462	151,094	41,827	152,494	41,916	319,379	91,913
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste	.....	321,680	.....	280,140	.....	174,861	.....	195,759	.....	199,194
Bristles	.....	(a)	.....	415	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	1,446
Dairy products:										
Butter ..... pounds..	19,373,913	2,937,203	31,345,224	4,493,364	25,690,025	3,864,765	20,247,997	3,263,951	18,266,371	3,143,509
Cheese ..... do....	36,777,291	3,091,914	50,944,617	4,636,063	53,167,280	4,559,324	38,198,753	3,316,049	48,419,353	4,943,609
Milk	.....	270,453	.....	524,968	.....	671,670	.....	1,049,211	.....	1,139,402
Total	.....	6,299,570	.....	9,654,395	.....	9,095,759	.....	7,629,211	.....	9,226,520
Eggs ..... dozens..	328,845	48,339	1,300,183	180,954	2,754,810	448,370	3,693,611	641,385	5,920,727	984,081
Egg yolks	.....	556	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	10,379	.....	883
Feathers:										
Ostrich	.....	250	.....	5,679	}	157,553	.....	212,374	.....	280,309
Other ..... pounds..	1,165,658	193,046	1,142,632	112,714						
Total	.....	193,296	.....	118,393	.....	157,553	.....	212,374	.....	280,309
Fertilizer (refuse skins)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	(a)	.....	1,062	.....	(a)
Glue ..... pounds..	1,760,470	166,930	1,400,863	132,581	2,318,711	209,441	2,368,087	222,072	2,349,014	225,844
Grease, grease scraps, and other soap stock	.....	1,516,763	.....	2,070,111	.....	1,964,565	.....	2,576,507	.....	2,944,322
Hair (including manufactures of)	.....	455,880	.....	517,469	.....	635,716	.....	503,712	.....	676,688
Hides and skins, other than furs.. pounds..	39,545,324	3,858,946	31,119,166	2,388,530	11,536,073	1,015,032	10,140,840	929,117	7,486,256	804,674
Honey	.....	90,969	.....	22,368	.....	98,504	.....	55,900	.....	30,191
Meat products:										
Beef products—										
Beef, canned ..... pounds..	63,698,180	5,636,953	54,019,772	4,656,308	37,109,570	3,279,657	38,385,472	3,503,293	55,553,745	5,233,982
Beef, fresh ..... do....	224,783,225	18,974,107	290,395,930	22,653,742	274,768,074	22,966,556	282,139,974	23,545,185	329,078,609	29,643,830
Beef, salted or pickled ..... do....	70,709,209	3,975,113	67,712,940	3,514,126	44,314,479	2,368,467	46,564,876	2,525,784	47,306,513	2,697,340
Beef, other cured ..... do....	514,303	59,371	939,448	83,701	1,589,052	150,051	1,579,313	145,996	2,319,165	197,051
Tallow ..... do....	52,759,212	2,323,764	75,108,834	2,782,595	81,744,809	3,141,653	107,361,009	4,367,356	89,030,943	4,398,204
Total beef products ..... do....	412,464,129	30,969,308	488,176,924	33,690,472	439,525,984	31,906,384	476,030,644	34,087,614	523,288,975	42,170,407
Hog products—										
Bacon ..... do....	425,352,187	33,442,847	560,399,448	34,187,147	650,108,933	46,380,918	562,651,480	41,557,067	512,153,729	38,975,915
Hams ..... do....	129,036,351	12,669,763	165,247,302	15,970,021	200,185,861	18,987,525	225,846,756	20,774,084	196,414,412	20,416,367
Pork, canned ..... do....	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	8,496,074	658,402
Pork, fresh ..... do....	744,656	43,739	1,306,424	94,816	12,224,285	815,075	41,310,364	2,722,661	25,946,905	1,925,772
Pork, salted or pickled ..... do....	69,498,373	3,973,461	66,768,920	3,297,214	88,133,078	4,906,961	137,197,200	7,917,066	133,199,683	8,243,797
Lard ..... do....	509,534,256	33,589,851	568,315,640	29,126,485	709,344,045	39,710,672	711,259,851	42,208,465	661,813,663	41,939,164
Total hog products c ..... do....	1,134,165,823	83,719,661	1,302,037,734	82,675,683	1,659,996,202	110,801,151	1,678,265,645	115,179,343	1,538,024,466	112,159,417
Mutton ..... do....	422,950	31,793	361,955	28,341	329,169	27,961	379,110	29,427	773,760	64,313

a Not stated. b Included in "Other meat products." c Prior to 1900, exclusive of canned pork.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.										
Meat products—Continued.										
Oleo and oleomargarin—										
Oleo oil.....pounds..	103,276,756	$8,087,905	113,506,152	$6,742,061	132,579,277	$7,904,413	142,390,492	$9,183,659	146,739,681	$10,503,856
Oleomargarin (imitation butter), pounds.....	6,063,699	587,269	4,864,351	472,856	4,328,536	386,297	5,549,322	509,703	4,256,067	416,544
Total oleo and oleomargarin, pounds.....	109,340,455	8,675,174	118,370,503	7,214,917	136,907,813	8,290,710	147,939,814	9,693,362	150,995,748	10,920,400
Poultry and game.....	.....	40,647	.....	72,082	.....	85,739	.....	183,503	.....	463,905
Sausage casings.....	.....	1,771,680	.....	1,514,651	.....	1,821,519	.....	1,671,052	.....	2,307,571
Other meat products—*a*:										
Canned.....	.....	1,767,437	.....	2,944,486	.....	4,193,078	.....	5,834,865	.....	1,724,064
Other.....									.....	3,941,394
Total meat products.....	.....	126,975,700	.....	128,140,632	.....	157,126,542	.....	166,679,166	.....	173,751,471
Oils, animal, not elsewhere specified:										
Lard oil.....gallons..	833,935	426,401	961,407	419,803	775,102	305,825	917,007	412,447	738,724	337,260
Other, except whale and fish....do....	100,934	50,839	112,555	47,836	123,711	50,587	166,372	64,368	381,161	172,568
Total.....do....	934,869	477,240	1,073,962	467,639	898,813	356,412	1,083,379	476,815	1,119,885	509,828
Quills.....	.....	27,930	.....	19,264	.....	14,413	.....	12,213	.....	11,105
Rennets, prepared.....	.....	815	.....	735	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)
Silk noils.....	.....	1,958	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)
Silk waste.....pounds..	102,624	31,163	54,060	13,181	153,886	19,002	128,698	16,075	285,640	53,851
Silkworm eggs.....	.....	25	.....	25	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)
Stearin.....pounds..	668,585	34,289	1,388,555	70,534	3,987,258	188,579	1,174,167	55,821	(*c*)	(*c*)
Wool.....do....	6,945,981	855,950	5,271,535	619,932	121,139	18,071	1,683,419	237,350	2,200,309	387,239
Total animal matter.....	.....	183,264,812	.....	188,322,221	.....	217,808,053	.....	218,377,750	.....	233,764,590
VEGETABLE MATTER.										
Breadstuffs:										
Barley.....bushels..	7,680,331	3,100,311	20,030,301	7,646,384	11,237,077	5,542,040	2,267,403	1,375,274	23,661,662	11,216,694
Bran, middlings, and mill feed ..tons..	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	91,189	1,329,519	127,953	2,002,588	166,604	2,638,719
Bread and biscuit.....pounds..	15,426,601	694,323	15,214,619	697,695	15,990,558	788,264	16,447,430	809,998	18,329,815	938,513
Buckwheat.....bushels..	(*b*)	(*b*)	1,677,102	678,959	1,370,403	589,285	1,533,980	846,028	426,822	254,847
Corn (maize).....do....	99,992,835	37,836,862	176,916,365	54,087,152	208,744,939	74,196,850	174,089,094	68,977,448	209,348,284	85,206,400
Corn meal.....barrels..	276,885	654,121	475,263	902,061	827,651	1,766,068	791,488	1,775,868	943,782	2,148,410
Oats.....bushels..	13,012,590	3,497,611	35,096,736	8,756,207	69,130,288	20,632,914	30,309,778	9,787,540	41,369,415	12,504,654

Oatmeal ..... pounds..	38,592,504	939,502	47,310,251	1,071,340	85,500,350	1,757,978	58,042,505	1,295,988	66,229,950	1,547,900
Rye ..... bushels..	988,466	445,075	8,560,271	3,667,505	15,541,575	8,825,769	10,140,866	5,936,078	2,355,792	1,442,055
Rye flour ..... barrels..	3,777	11,163	2,566	7,366	3,410	11,815	4,826	15,015	4,370	14,757
Wheat ..... bushels..	60,650,080	39,709,868	79,562,020	59,920,178	148,231,261	145,684,659	139,432,815	104,269,169	101,950,389	73,237,080
Wheat flour ..... barrels..	14,620,864	52,025,217	14,569,545	55,914,347	15,349,943	69,263,718	18,485,690	73,093,870	18,699,194	67,760,886
Preparations of, for table food	.....	2,442,940	.....	4,508,025	.....	1,765,207	.....	2,133,110	.....	2,362,715
Other					.....	1,743,033	.....	1,681,725	.....	1,470,448
Total	.....	141,356,993	.....	197,857,219	.....	333,897,119	.....	273,999,699	.....	262,744,078
Broom corn	.....	181,853	.....	136,007	.....	163,066	.....	185,902	.....	182,520
Broom root (rice root)	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	10,975	.....	6,140
Cider ..... gallons..	372,986	47,670	637,672	77,695	465,873	60,063	490,803	64,500	483,367	64,283
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate	.....	107,740	.....	128,078	.....	137,369	.....	192,863	.....	231,509
Compressed food	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	74,898
Cotton:										
In bales—d										
Sea-island ..... bales	49,651	3,816,216	55,347	4,078,044	40,037	2,767,291	36,213	2,361,697	46,308	2,985,378
Sea-island ..... pounds..	19,159,469		21,585,360		15,610,302		14,142,052		18,199,967	
Upland and other ..... bales	4,610,114	186,240,244	6,121,018	226,812,927	7,540,967	227,674,924	7,337,169	207,203,077	6,043,836	238,847,359
Upland and other ..... pounds..	2,316,066,916		3,082,169,589		3,834,653,993		3,759,268,241		3,082,383,221	
Total cotton in bales .. bales	4,659,765	190,056,460	6,176,365	230,890,971	7,581,004	230,442,215	7,373,382	209,564,774	6,090,144	241,832,737
Total cotton in bales .. pounds..	2,335,226,385		3,103,754,949		3,850,264,295		3,773,410,293		3,100,583,188	
Waste cotton ..... pounds..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	12,521,574	511,004	14,308,829	524,802	25,642,400	1,156,241
Total cotton ..... do....	2,335,226,385	190,056,460	3,103,754,949	230,890,971	3,862,785,869	230,953,219	3,787,719,122	210,089,576	3,126,225,588	242,988,978
Cotton-seed meats	.....	(b)	.....	37,970	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	(b)
Flowers, cut	.....	798	.....	1,429	.....	2,967	.....	2,355	.....	4,169
Fruits and nuts:										
Fruits—										
Apples, dried ..... pounds..	26,691,963	1,340,507	30,775,401	1,340,159	31,031,254	1,897,725	19,305,739	1,245,733	34,964,010	2,247,851
Apples, green or ripe ..... barrels..	360,002	930,289	1,503,981	2,371,143	605,390	1,684,717	380,222	1,210,459	526,636	1,444,655
Oranges	.....	(b)	.....	(b)	.....	339,396	.....	282,313	.....	271,468
Prunes ..... pounds..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	15,940,791	1,021,888	5,615,565	380,847	25,922,371	1,646,332
Raisins ..... do....	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	3,109,639	167,062	4,659,807	242,620	2,415,456	139,689
Other green, ripe, or dried	.....	1,868,353	.....	2,172,199	.....	2,033,845	.....	1,997,649	.....	2,545,451
Preserved—										
Canned	.....	1,376,281	.....	1,686,723	.....	1,624,741	.....	2,330,715	.....	3,127,278
Other	.....	70,353	.....	43,276	.....	82,504	.....	66,899	.....	63,448
Total fruits	.....	5,585,783	.....	7,613,500	.....	8,851,878	.....	7,757,235	.....	11,486,172
Nuts	.....	93,283	.....	125,805	.....	161,432	.....	140,250	.....	156,490
Total fruits and nuts	.....	5,679,066	.....	7,739,305	.....	9,013,310	.....	7,897,485	.....	11,642,662

a Prior to 1900, including canned pork. *b* Not stated. *c* Included in "Lard substitutes, n. e. s." *d* Probably including waste cotton prior to 1898.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Ginseng ..... pounds..	199,436	$770,673	179,573	$840,686	174,063	$638,416	196,196	$782,545	160,901	$833,710
Glucose and grape sugar ..... do....	171,231,650	2,772,335	194,419,250	2,736,674	196,864,605	2,871,839	229,003,571	3,624,890	221,901,459	3,600,139
Grasses, dried	.....	41,582	.....	17,766	.....	26,499	.....	26,063	.....	20,148
Hay ..... tons..	59,052	874,048	61,658	845,590	81,827	1,151,273	64,916	858,992	72,716	992,741
Hops ..... pounds..	16,765,254	1,478,919	11,426,241	1,304,183	17,161,669	2,642,779	21,145,512	3,626,141	12,639,474	1,707,660
Lard substitutes, n. e. s. (cottolene, lardine, etc.) *a* ..... pounds..	1,709,923	102,279	16,261,991	857,708	21,343,028	1,118,659	22,144,717	1,200,231	25,852,685	1,475,064
Malt ..... bushels..	200,042	126,942	289,543	177,292	406,702	287,473	453,038	324,145	296,742	215,198
Malt sprouts	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	15,124	.....	55,177	.....	62,266
Malt liquors:										
Bottled ..... dozen bottles..	492,055	590,116	549,910	636,837	406,231	497,031	1,433,799	1,733,373	1,578,240	1,945,059
Unbottled ..... gallons..	290,383	69,759	390,048	87,112	391,802	88,548	602,055	154,751	761,411	194,157
Total	.....	659,875	.....	723,949	.....	585,579	.....	1,888,124	.....	2,139,216
Must	.....	18,500	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)
Nursery stock	.....	133,735	.....	135,047	.....	96,330	.....	134,929	.....	107,172
Oil cake and oil-cake meal:										
Corn ..... pounds..	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	2,202,680	20,286	1,922,264	17,623	4,888,776	48,783
Cotton-seed ..... do....	401,937,291	3,740,232	623,386,638	5,515,800	919,727,701	8,040,710	1,079,993,479	9,253,398	1,143,704,342	11,229,188
Flaxseed, or linseed ..... do....	393,429,432	4,209,415	433,106,448	4,095,244	436,206,321	4,540,824	487,177,390	5,277,744	483,130,182	5,528,331
Total *c* ..... do....	798,366,723	7,949,647	1,056,493,086	9,611,044	1,358,136,702	12,601,820	1,569,093,133	14,548,765	1,631,723,300	16,806,302
Oils, vegetable:										
Corn ..... gallons..	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	2,646,560	575,646	2,360,623	565,293	4,383,926	1,351,867
Cotton-seed ..... do....	19,445,848	5,476,510	27,198,882	6,897,361	40,230,784	10,137,619	50,627,219	12,077,519	46,902,390	14,127,538
Linseed ..... do....	67,159	33,260	111,262	42,700	90,074	38,439	107,000	47,681	103,494	54,148
Volatile, or essential—										
Peppermint ..... pounds..	85,290	174,810	162,492	257,484	145,375	180,811	117,462	118,227	89,558	90,298
Other	.....	102,487	.....	146,569	.....	201,497	.....	162,358	.....	166,424
All other	.....	309,955	.....	1,167,504	.....	885,057	.....	838,257	.....	554,781
Total	.....	6,097,022	.....	8,511,618	.....	12,019,069	.....	13,809,335	.....	16,345,056
Rice, rice meal, etc.:										
Rice ..... pounds..	1,346,876	14,117	387,288	14,617	637,146	27,501	852,704	38,511	12,947,009	500,364
Rice bran, meal, and polish ..... do....	13,684,678	79,637	3,518,466	20,113	5,563,841	35,498	14,481,985	80,298	28,119,408	167,023
Total ..... do....	15,031,554	93,754	3,905,754	34,730	6,200,987	62,999	15,334,689	118,809	41,066,417	667,387

Rice root. (*See* Broom root.)										
Root beer.....dozen quarts..	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	3,439	4,661
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s	.....	153,896	.....	154,347	.....	147,839	.....	169,828	.....	237,527
Seeds:										
Cotton.....pounds..	26,980,110	179,621	26,566,024	170,604	32,764,781	197,258	34,443,806	197,023	49,855,238	346,230
Flaxseed, or linseed.....bushels..	80,453	73,207	4,713,747	3,850,835	257,228	231,237	2,830,991	2,815,449	2,743,266	3,475,417
Grass seed—										
Clover.....pounds..	5,539,787	437,493	13,042,994	1,003,157	31,155,381	1,892,101	19,980,434	1,264,922	32,069,371	2,379,372
Timothy .....do....	11,894,536	518,755	16,733,993	574,457	10,238,780	317,173	16,149,611	492,710	15,078,186	505,758
Other	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	167,109	.....	156,200	.....	165,063
Total grass seed.....	.....	(*b*)	.....	(*b*)	.....	2,376,383	.....	1,913,832	.....	3,050,193
All other seeds.....	.....	382,941	.....	429,379	.....	149,845	.....	153,092	.....	165,142
Total seeds.....	.....	1,592,017	.....	6,028,432	.....	2,954,723	.....	5,079,396	.....	7,036,982
Spices...	.....	1,367	.....	772	.....	3,841	.....	2,257	.....	19,131
Spirits, distilled:										
Alcohol, (*d*) including cologne spirits, proof gallons.....	331,407	85,292	416,725	140,046	1,619,230	463,616	1,476,028	427,288	177,974	59,277
Brandy.....proof gallons..	89,259	87,294	11,815	12,640	24,886	39,455	20,944	29,289	80,259	83,698
Rum .....do....	865,643	1,174,093	808,393	1,102,267	607,634	845,673	850,719	1,175,306	670,410	903,808
Whisky—										
Bourbon.....do....	139,866	187,336	569,413	422,451	286,599	241,066	224,918	267,865	863,241	764,860
Rye .....do....	26,630	45,268	21,282	38,402	17,495	31,164	99,884	156,617	91,721	121,241
Other.....do....	336,424	151,521	500,338	225,897	36,869	30,149	19,536	24,372	18,585	24,921
Total .....do....	1,789,229	1,730,804	2,327,966	1,941,703	2,592,713	1,651,123	2,692,029	2,080,737	1,902,190	1,957,805
Starch.....pounds..	31,829,435	885,198	79,088,876	1,665,926	72,806,313	1,371,549	110,193,776	2,292,843	124,935,963	2,604,362
Straw	.....	5,293	.....	5,659	.....	5,907	.....	4,737	.....	4,200
Sugar, molasses, and sirup:										
Molasses and sirup—										
Molasses.....gallons..	6,953,307	737,870	8,913,830	788,323	3,817,829	267,202	5,682,080	444,392	3,892,374	434,585
Sirup .....do....					7,573,541	794,727	10,070,650	1,465,849	11,139,770	1,682,202
Total molasses and sirup ..do....	6,953,307	737,870	8,913,830	788,323	11,391,370	1,061,929	15,752,730	1,910,241	15,032,144	2,116,787
Sugar—										
Brown.....pounds..	296,265	10,389	1,107,864	35,367	460,682	17,353	403,119	14,275	322,252	11,262
Refined.....do....	9,106,259	450,753	7,197,355	341,641	6,047,608	301,511	9,462,228	426,202	22,192,351	1,004,135
Total sugar.....do....	9,402,524	461,142	8,305,219	377,008	6,508,290	318,864	9,865,347	440,477	22,514,603	1,015,397
Total sugar, molasses, and sirup..	.....	1,199,012	.....	1,165,331	.....	1,380,793	.....	2,350,718	.....	3,132,184

a Including stearin in 1900.
b Not stated.
c Prior to 1898, exclusive of corn oil cake, of which the exports were inconsiderable.
d Including wood alcohol prior to 1898, but not subsequently.

Agricultural exports (domestic) of the United States during the five years ended June 30, 1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.										
Sugar meal ..... pounds..	3,930,412	$66,935	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Teazels		6,287		$3,336		$13,290		$19,466		$21,882
Tobacco:										
Leaf ..... pounds..	287,700,301	24,405,245	305,978,292	24,513,567	252,258,902	21,924,337	272,421,295	25,170,771	334,604,210	29,163,086
Stems and trimmings ..... do....	7,839,011	166,117	8,953,399	197,879	10,761,312	247,243	11,191,827	296,447	10,051,487	259,285
Total ..... do....	295,539,312	24,571,362	314,931,691	24,711,446	263,020,214	22,171,580	283,613,122	25,467,218	344,655,697	29,422,371
Vegetables:										
Beans and peas ..... bushels..	473,975	632,073	900,219	1,110,387	854,284	1,094,094	883,201	1,269,812	617,355	983,401
Onions ..... do....	82,916	61,181	73,511	60,088	100,148	90,832	164,902	134,250	171,636	143,256
Potatoes ..... do....	680,049	371,485	926,646	515,067	605,187	460,666	579,833	450,739	809,472	626,791
Vegetables, canned		407,506		408,840		386,039		555,691		603,288
Other, including pickles and sauces...		182,805		243,542		350,157		388,908		496,542
Total		1,655,050		2,337,924		2,381,788		2,799,400		2,853,278
Vinegar ..... gallons..	123,163	16,975	93,969	11,572	108,657	12,939	107,317	13,488	115,372	12,583
Wines:										
Bottled ..... dozen bottles..	17,147	69,460	16,794	69,444	9,672	46,721	10,973	52,015	9,854	49,927
Unbottled ..... gallons..	1,339,090	581,827	1,389,375	629,270	1,623,103	682,028	1,498,078	624,315	1,408,859	575,665
Total		651,287		698,714		728,749		676,330		625,592
Yeast		45,077		42,849		41,770		36,061		8,086
Total vegetable matter		391,133,452		501,432,972		641,210,893		574,433,983		610,851,940
Total agricultural exports		574,398,264		689,755,193		859,018,946		792,811,733		844,616,530

a Not stated.

AVERAGE ANNUAL IMPORTS.

The average quantity and value of our agricultural imports[1] for the five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900 will be seen from the following statement:

Average quantity and value of agricultural products imported into the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900.

Articles imported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.				
Animals, live:				
Cattle.....number..	33,845	$196,137	243,830	$2,318,198
Horses.....do....	14,265	2,096,830	5,244	537,988
Sheep.....do....	344,018	1,162,702	369,668	1,108,925
Other, including fowls.....	.....	339,831	.....	250,795
Total.....	.....	3,795,500	.....	4,215,906
Beeswax.....pounds..	300,973	73,359	277,081	70,653
Bladders, crude.....	.....	a15,383	.....	(b)
Blood, dried.....	.....	c72,542	.....	(b)
Bones, hoofs, and horns:				
Bones, crude.....	.....	328,266	.....	d190,993
Hoofs and horns.....	.....	488,782	.....	d359,290
Total.....	.....	817,048	.....	625,626
Bristles:				
Crude.....pounds..	e4,741	e1,892	10,224	7,430
Sorted, bunched, or prepared...do....	e1,296,753	e1,242,259	1,758,227	1,495,123
Total.....do....	1,338,533	1,298,927	1,768,451	1,502,553
Dairy products:				
Butter.....do....	156,956	24,971	39,101	6,763
Cheese.....do....	9,276,799	1,344,140	11,668,374	1,565,610
Milk.....	.....	98,919	.....	56,821
Total.....	.....	1,468,030	.....	1,629,194
Eggs.....dozens..	4,047,296	524,896	410,870	34,912
Egg yolks.....	.....	(b)	.....	f15,458
Feathers and downs, crude.....	.....	e1,746,967	.....	2,072,643
Fibers, animal:				
Silk—				
Cocoons.....pounds..	192,530	104,456	66,620	27,484
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....pounds..	6,558,629	21,805,719	9,155,970	30,513,476
Waste.....do....	1,012,261	656,351	1,531,307	579,273
Total silk.....do....	7,763,420	22,566,526	10,753,897	31,120,233
Wools and hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals—				
Class 1, clothing—				
In the grease.....pounds..	44,728,463	7,880,865	g77,461,775	g12,358,583
Scoured.....do....			g8,931,246	g2,374,824
Total class 1.....do....	44,728,463	7,880,865	82,763,349	14,331,735
Class 2, combing—				
In the grease.....do....	6,851,008	1,484,848	g14,695,921	g2,854,149
Scoured.....do....			g113,340	g23,944
Total class 2.....do....	6,851,008	1,484,848	14,563,077	2,955,547

a Statistics for 1891 only. b Not stated. c Statistics for 1893 only. d Annual average, 1896–1897.
e Statistics for 1895 only. f Annual average, 1899–1900. g Annual average, 1897–1899.

[1] The articles enumerated in the following statement of averages are the same as those given in the import tables printed on pages 21–34, and they should be read in the light of the footnotes with which they are there accompanied.

Average quantity and value of agricultural products imported into the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.				
Fibers, animal—Continued.				
Wools and hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals—Continued.				
Class 3, carpet—				
In the grease.....pounds..	90,739,455	$8,763,791	a 85,090,548	a $8,446,163
Scoured .....do....			a 501,648	a 58,930
Total class 3 .....do....	90,739,455	8,763,791	92,118,247	8,925,109
Total wools .....do....	142,318,926	18,129,504	189,444,673	26,212,391
Total animal fibers	.....	40,696,030	.....	57,332,624
Gelatin	.....	(b)	.....	19,873
Glue.....pounds..	5,219,330	475,450	5,248,501	494,748
Grease	.....	c 576,183	.....	d 689,860
Gut	.....	219,649	.....	89,601
Hair	.....	1,592,598	.....	1,735,061
Hide cuttings and other glue stock.....	.....	313,201	.....	582,026
Hides and skins, other than furs:				
Goatskins .....pounds..	(b)	11,074,790	62,653,260	15,577,032
Hides of cattle .....do....	(b)	(b)	d 140,168,260	d 15,551,717
Other.....do....	(b)	14,132,803	d 73,881,371	d 11,361,640
Total .....do....	(b)	25,207,593	255,059,800	39,075,175
Honey .....gallons..	102,815	42,154	103,220	43,764
Meat products:				
Meat and meat extracts	.....	480,331	.....	413,949
Sausage, Bologna.....	.....	90,926	.....	85,879
Sausage casings.....	.....	527,429	.....	587,836
Other	.....	23,205	.....	77,930
Total.....	.....	1,121,891	.....	1,165,594
Oils, animal, except whale and fish, gallons.....	22,906	8,139	23,387	5,764
Quills.....	.....	e 1,568	.....	(b)
Rennets	.....	95,233	.....	72,409
Silkworm eggs.....	.....	f 5,993	.....	(b)
Stearin .....pounds..	(b)	g 3,611	h 1,304,680	h 30,154
Total animal matter.....	.....	80,064,691	.....	111,649,585
VEGETABLE MATTER.				
Argols, or wine lees.....pounds..	25,089,477	2,030,707	24,356,424	2,117,184
Breadstuffs:				
Barley .....bushels..	2,620,613	1,392,545	506,841	180,112
Corn (maize).....do....	7,611	4,546	4,138	1,797
Oats .....do....	73,572	21,401	31,217	10,254
Oatmeal.....pounds..	479,802	26,230	538,155	19,873
Rye .....bushels..	49,168	35,819	6,779	3,026
Wheat.....do....	1,316,581	946,504	1,575,761	1,231,782
Wheat flour.....barrels..	2,341	11,975	1,602	7,364
Other, and preparations of, used as food.....	.....	1,144,906	.....	1,157,020
Total.....	.....	3,583,926	.....	2,611,228
Broom corn.....tons..	(b)	(b)	i 549	i 49,612
Chocolate, other than confectionery and sweetened chocolate.....pounds..	602,783	124,210	1,187,852	205,936
Cider .....gallons..	j 13,138	j 3,549	i 2,647	i 2,287
Cocoa:				
Crude, and leaves and shells of, pounds.....	22,979,573	3,130,840	31,531,970	3,919,793
Prepared or manufactured..pounds..	1,415,360	508,911	1,098,836	350,734
Total .....do....	24,394,933	3,639,751	32,630,806	4,270,527

a Annual average, 1897–1899. b Not stated. c Annual average, 1891–1894.
d Annual average, 1898–1900. e Statistics for 1892 only. f Annual average, 1891–1893.
g Annual average for the two years 1891 and 1893.
h Annual average for the three years 1896, 1899, and 1900. i Statistics for 1900 only.
j Statistics for 1893 only.

Average quantity and value of agricultural products imported into the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.				
Coffee ..... pounds..	585,270,320	$98,219,332	761,715,403	$67,829,710
Coffee substitutes:				
Chicory root—				
Raw, unground ..... do....	a 7,419,323	a 138,571	6,892,722	93,587
Roasted, ground, or otherwise prepared ..... pounds..	a 1,588,210	a 56,480	b 398,811	b 13,438
Total chicory root ..... do....	9,608,348	224,544	b 8,935,787	b 129,147
Other ..... do....	1,631,171	62,948	1,570,614	58,634
Total coffee substitutes. do....	11,239,519	287,492	b 10,684,603	b 195,049
Curry and curry powder	.....	c 5,351	.....	d 8,077
Fibers, vegetable:				
Cotton ..... pounds..	33,995,702	3,689,917	55,493,298	6,091,214
Flax ..... tons..	6,485	1,779,246	7,199	1,569,759
Hemp ..... do....	a 4,648	a 622,493	4,986	639,414
Istle, or Tampico fiber ..... do....	a 6,084	a 340,728	6,250	388,597
Jute and jute butts ..... do....	94,653	2,764,225	91,140	2,487,558
Manila hemp ..... do....	a 47,381	a 5,780,605	47,919	4,727,218
Sisal grass ..... do....	a 49,629	a 4,419,643	66,707	6,682,207
Other ..... do....	a 11,372	a 1,022,404	8,656	570,686
Total	.....	21,135,501	.....	23,156,653
Flowers, natural, preserved or fresh	.....	e 42,424	.....	f 20,642
Fruit juices, n. e. s.:				
Prune juice or prune wine .. gallons..	29,598	26,418	34,190	27,299
Other, including cherry juice	.....	a 29,458	.....	36,638
Total	.....	a 55,315	.....	63,937
Fruits and nuts:				
Fruits—				
Bananas	.....	5,202,787	.....	4,873,782
Currants ..... pounds..	a 34,736,981	a 857,029	30,918,770	740,082
Dates ..... do....	a 15,222,861	a 437,429	14,386,966	332,788
Figs ..... do....	9,577,220	547,432	9,313,289	510,910
Lemons	.....	4,419,433	.....	3,999,436
Oranges	.....	1,674,013	.....	1,618,080
Plums and prunes ..... pounds..	19,165,082	919,608	508,299	58,620
Raisins ..... do....	23,495,237	1,091,006	9,062,645	444,530
Prepared or preserved fruits	.....	897,052	.....	878,092
Other	.....	a 2,646,883	.....	1,760,583
Total fruits	.....	18,786,838	.....	15,216,903
Nuts—				
Almonds ..... pounds..	7,292,152	895,525	7,891,088	895,037
Cocoanuts	.....	789,415	.....	563,759
Other	.....	850,054	.....	985,125
Total nuts	.....	2,534,994	.....	2,443,921
Total fruits and nuts	.....	21,321,832	.....	17,660,824
Ginger, preserved or pickled	.....	11,755	.....	13,838
Glucose and grape sugar ..... pounds..	c 436,424	c 13,225	(g)	(g)
Hay ..... tons..	106,180	864,205	118,049	994,769
Hops ..... pounds..	2,635,751	970,135	2,414,966	636,803
Indigo ..... do....	2,690,501	1,949,040	3,166,732	1,666,059
Malt, barley ..... bushels..	29,577	20,433	6,163	5,429
Malt extract, fluid or solid	.....	a 44,332	.....	10,386
Malt liquors:				
Bottled ..... gallons..	1,118,637	1,062,216	964,310	945,005
Unbottled ..... do....	1,933,396	626,113	2,018,958	583,390
Total ..... do....	3,052,033	1,688,329	2,983,268	1,528,395

a Annual average, 1892–1895.
b Annual average for the four years 1896, 1897, 1899, and 1900.
c Annual average, 1891–1893.
d Annual average, 1899–1900.
e Annual average, 1892–1894.
f Annual average, 1898–1900.
g Not stated.

Average quantity and value of agricultural products imported into the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.				
Nursery stock (plants, trees, shrubs, vines, etc.)	.....	*a* $632,523	.....	$884,562
Oil cake ....pounds..	6,960,682	59,787	2,965,099	17,165
Oil cake (substitute for india rubber)	.....	*b* 16,621	.....	*c* 998
Oils, vegetable:				
Fixed or expressed—				
Olive, salad....gallons..	706,274	872,766	901,157	1,085,210
Other	.....	2,151,949	.....	2,630,827
Volatile, or essential	.....	1,470,931	.....	1,700,266
Total....	.....	4,495,646	.....	5,416,303
Opium:				
Crude, or unmanufactured..pounds..	548,993	1,168,197	524,142	1,096,277
Prepared ....do....	81,403	558,352	124,551	882,901
Total ....do....	630,396	1,726,549	648,693	1,979,178
Rice, rice meal, etc.:				
Rice ....do....	105,472,024	2,119,434	117,885,274	2,336,266
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice ....pounds..	68,863,423	1,120,750	53,251,374	795,485
Total ....do....	174,335,447	3,240,184	171,136,648	3,131,751
Sauerkraut....	.....	26,086	.....	*d* 4,863
Seeds:				
Linseed, or flaxseed.....bushels..	1,334,349	1,478,028	229,032	250,811
Other	.....	*a* 1,981,096	.....	1,420,337
Total....	.....	*a* 6,535,580	.....	1,671,148
Spices:				
Unground—				
Nutmegs....pounds..	1,424,173	592,071	1,472,014	387,287
Pepper, black or white....do....	16,619,446	1,028,577	14,235,286	927,752
Other (free of duty).....do....	15,568,636	980,144	17,378,717	1,069,841
Ground (and other dutiable)...do....	2,072,474	279,699	3,234,117	323,806
Total ....do....	35,684,729	2,880,491	36,320,134	2,708,686
Spirits, distilled:				
Of domestic manufacture, returned, proof gallons....	1,091,267	1,141,384	905,239	800,808
Brandy ....proof gallons..	323,515	865,941	239,854	664,331
Other....do....	1,052,810	1,062,303	1,305,313	1,698,363
Total ....do....	2,467,592	3,069,628	2,450,406	3,163,502
Starch ....pounds..	2,986,388	66,396	6,568,079	116,234
Straw ....tons..	7,426	25,369	5,257	17,537
Sugar and molasses:				
Molasses ....gallons..	18,657,979	2,161,835	4,968,061	709,579
Sugar—				
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—				
Beet ....pounds..	449,237,898	12,389,255	807,156,354	16,105,206
Cane and other....do....	3,262,025,359	92,376,501	2,981,165,360	69,729,434
Above No. 16 Dutch standard pounds....	33,963,957	1,179,751	112,378,734	2,960,119
Total sugar....pounds..	3,745,227,214	105,945,507	3,900,700,448	88,794,759
Total sugar and molasses	.....	108,107,342	.....	89,504,338
Sugar cane....	.....	*c* 3,843	.....	(*f*)
Tea....pounds..	90,673,168	13,875,064	87,647,654	11,565,555
Teazels....	.....	*g* 7,175	.....	(*f*)

a Statistics for 1895 only. *b* Annual average, 1891–1893. *c* Annual average, 1899–1900.
d Annual average, 1896–1897. *e* Statistics for 1893 only. *f* Not stated.
g Annual average, 1892–1893.

Average quantity and value of agricultural products imported into the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.				
Tobacco:				
Suitable for cigar wrappers..pounds..	*a* 4,779,735	*a* $5,033,772	4,993,159	$4,928,936
Other leaf, etc. (including stems), pounds	*a* 19,327,874	*a* 7,657,720	13,179,392	6,425,738
Total .....pounds..	23,937,186	12,810,613	18,172,551	11,354,674
Vanilla beans .....do....	192,229	677,100	198,580	924,595
Vegetables:				
Beans and peas .....bushels..	1,401,160	1,487,472	482,375	502,419
Cabbages .....number..	(*b*)	(*b*)	*c* 986,365	*c* 47,275
Onions .....bushels..	(*b*)	(*b*)	*d* 591,937	*d* 478,467
Potatoes .....do....	2,849,983	1,386,254	455,815	237,615
Pickles and sauces	.....	409,864	.....	311,644
Other—				
In their natural state	.....	721,723	.....	*e* 308,123
Prepared or preserved	.....	677,266	.....	641,016
Total	.....	4,682,579	.....	2,467,224
Vinegar .....gallons..	70,966	19,164	91,735	24,328
Wafers, unmedicated	.....	15,863	.....	15,798
Wines:				
Champagne and other sparkling, dozen bottles	317,783	4,614,645	254,274	3,605,069
Still wines—				
Bottled.....dozen bottles..	344,108	1,726,444	296,637	1,444,793
Unbottled .....gallons..	3,250,593	2,274,897	2,510,155	1,740,208
Total	.....	8,615,986	.....	6,790,070
Sundries	.....	22,559	.....	.....
Total vegetable matter	.....	324,103,860	.....	264,719,783
Total agricultural imports	.....	404,168,551	.....	376,369,368

a Annual average, 1892–1895. *b* Not stated. *c* Annual average, 1896–1897.
d Annual average, 1897–1900. *e* Annual average, 1898–1900.

AVERAGE ANNUAL EXPORTS.

Following is a statement showing the average quantity and value per annum of our agricultural exports[1] for the five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900:

Average quantity and value of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900.

Articles exported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER.				
Animals, live:				
Cattle.....number..	349,476	$31,128,498	398,136	$33,979,522
Hogs.....do....	32,735	399,010	29,684	251,167
Horses.....do....	5,707	1,086,599	45,262	5,506,699
Mules.....do....	2,072	230,988	14,323	1,210,533
Sheep.....do....	136,657	802,412	240,887	1,481,790
Other, including fowls.....do....	.....	38,089	.....	194,046
Total.....	.....	33,685,596	.....	42,623,757
Beeswax.....pounds..	220,885	58,588	208,125	59,592
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....	.....	284,591	.....	234,327
Bristles.....	.....	*a* 2,873	.....	*b* 931
Dairy products:				
Butter.....pounds..	11,313,074	1,861,763	22,984,706	3,540,558
Cheese.....do....	75,977,115	7,076,910	45,501,459	4,109,392
Milk.....	.....	262,777	.....	731,141
Total.....	.....	9,201,450	.....	8,381,091
Eggs.....dozens..	200,747	36,531	2,799,635	460,626
Egg yolks.....	.....	*c* 3,096	.....	*d* 3,939
Feathers:				
Ostrich.....	.....	*c* 2,670	.....	*f* 2,965
Other.....pounds..	(*g*)	*e* 139,488	*f* 1,154,145	*f* 152,880
Total.....	.....	128,228	.....	192,385
Fertilizer (refuse skins).....	.....	(*g*)	.....	*h* 1,062
Glue.....pounds..	896,239	93,456	2,039,429	191,374
Grease, grease scraps, and other soap stock	.....	1,337,915	.....	2,214,454
Hair (including manufactures of).....	.....	416,624	.....	557,893
Hides and skins, other than furs.pounds..	(*g*)	2,067,474	19,965,532	1,799,260
Honey.....	.....	84,529	.....	59,586
Meat products:				
Beef products—				
Beef, canned.....pounds..	79,156,095	7,001,994	49,753,348	4,462,039
Beef, fresh.....do....	201,225,058	16,932,570	280,233,163	23,556,684
Beef, salted or pickled.....do....	68,814,334	3,870,444	55,321,603	3,016,166
Beef, other cured.....do....	1,102,894	100,404	1,388,256	127,234
Tallow.....do....	68,762,848	3,422,992	81,200,961	3,402,714
Total beef products.....do....	419,061,229	31,328,404	467,897,331	34,564,837
Hog products—				
Bacon.....do....	456,712,223	37,727,306	530,133,155	38,908,779
Hams.....do....	87,181,903	9,348,425	183,346,135	17,763,552
Pork, canned.....do....	(*g*)	(*g*)	*i* 8,496,074	*i* 658,402
Pork, fresh.....do....	819,299	63,735	16,306,527	1,120,413
Pork, salted or pickled.....do....	67,191,268	4,580,502	98,959,451	5,667,700
Lard.....do....	449,309,069	35,834,251	632,053,491	37,314,927
Total hog products.....do....	1,061,213,762	87,554,219	1,462,497,974	100,907,051
Mutton.....do....	639,684	51,878	453,389	36,367

a Annual average, 1894–1895.
b Annual average for the two years 1897 and 1900.
c Annual average, 1892–1895.
d Annual average for the three years 1896, 1899, and 1900.
e Annual average, 1893–1895.
f Annual average, 1896–1897.
g Not stated.
h Statistics for 1899 only.
i Statistics for 1900 only.

[1] The articles enumerated in the following statement of averages are the same as those given in the export tables printed on pages 35–46, and they should be read in the light of the footnotes with which they are there accompanied.

Average quantity and value of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.				
Meat products—Continued.				
Oleo and oleomargarin—				
Oleo oil ....pounds..	97,429,375	$9,425,626	127,698,472	$8,484,379
Oleomargarin (imitation butter), pounds....	4,215,350	466,893	5,012,395	474,534
Total oleo and oleomargarin, pounds....	101,644,725	9,892,519	132,710,867	8,958,913
Poultry and game....	.....	16,829	.....	169,175
Sausage casings....	.....	1,198,287	.....	1,817,295
Other meat products—				
Canned	.....	1,291,950	.....	a 1,724,064
Other	.....		.....	a 3,941,394
Total meat products	.....	131,334,086	.....	150,534,702
Oils, animal, not elsewhere specified:				
Lard oil ....gallons..	744,267	429,973	845,235	380,347
Other, except whale and fish...do....	283,773	158,675	176,947	77,240
Total ....do....	1,028,040	588,648	1,022,182	457,587
Quills	.....	11,901	.....	16,985
Rennets, prepared	.....	b 1,300	.....	c 775
Silk noils	.....	d 3,140	.....	e 1,958
Silk waste ....pounds..	128,358	46,737	144,982	26,654
Silkworm eggs	.....	f 4,361	.....	c 25
Stearin ....pounds..	669,930	32,686	g 1,804,641	g 87,306
Wool ....do....	1,077,118	132,007	3,244,477	423,708
Total animal matter	.....	179,549,568	.....	208,307,485
VEGETABLE MATTER.				
Breadstuffs:				
Barley ....bushels..	2,718,313	1,407,287	12,975,355	5,776,141
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.tons..	(h)	(h)	i 128,582	i 1,990,275
Bread and biscuit ....pounds..	14,793,347	745,054	16,281,805	785,759
Buckwheat ....bushels..	(h)	(h)	j 1,252,077	j 592,280
Corn (maize)....do....	49,054,663	25,738,516	173,818,303	64,060,942
Corn meal ....barrels..	278,366	815,878	663,014	1,449,306
Oats ....bushels..	3,815,795	1,485,783	37,783,761	11,035,785
Oatmeal ....pounds..	12,925,271	348,556	59,135,112	1,322,542
Rye ....bushels..	2,818,274	2,555,798	7,517,394	4,063,296
Rye flour ....barrels..	3,688	14,454	3,790	12,023
Wheat ....bushels..	98,810,268	81,913,415	105,965,313	84,564,191
Wheat flour....barrels..	15,057,967	65,297,189	16,345,047	63,611,608
Preparations of, for table food	.....	1,513,957	.....	i 2,087,011
Other			.....	i 1,631,735
Total....	.....	181,835,887	.....	241,971,022
Broom corn	.....	186,735	.....	169,870
Broom root (rice root)	.....	(h)	.....	k 8,558
Cider ....gallons..	587,967	82,801	490,140	62,842
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate....	.....	98,595	.....	159,512
Compressed food....	.....	(h)	.....	a 74,898
Cotton:				
In bales—				
Sea-island .... bales....	31,553	2,420,147	45,511	3,201,725
Sea-island .... pounds..	12,232,591		17,739,430	
Upland and other .... bales....	5,669,702	228,323,026	6,330,621	217,355,706
Upland and other .... pounds..	2,838,849,242		3,214,908,392	
Total cotton in bales . bales....	5,701,255	230,743,173	6,376,132	220,557,431
Total cotton in bales . pounds..	2,851,081,833		3,232,647,822	
Waste cotton.... pounds..	(h)	(h)	i 17,490,934	i 730,682
Total cotton ....do....	2,851,081,833	230,743,173	3,243,142,383	220,995,841
Cotton-seed hulls	.....	l 991	.....	(h)
Cotton-seed meats	.....	(h)	.....	m 37,970
Flax	.....	l 903	.....	(h)
Flowers, cut	.....	b 1,577	.....	2,344

a Statistics for 1900 only.
b Annual average, 1893–1895.
c Annual average, 1896–1897.
d Statistics for 1893 only.
e Statistics for 1896 only.
f Annual average, 1892–1895.
g Annual average, 1896–1899.
h Not stated.
i Annual average, 1898–1900.
j Annual average, 1897–1900.
k Annual average, 1899–1900.
l Annual average, 1894–1895.
m Statistics for 1897 only.

Average quantity and value of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.				
Fruits and nuts:				
Fruits—				
Apples, dried.....pounds..	10,182,928	$561,812	28,553,673	$1,614,395
Apples, green or ripe....barrels..	475,851	1,235,951	675,246	1,528,253
Oranges.....	.....	(a)	.....	b 297,726
Prunes .....pounds..	(a)	(a)	b 15,826,242	b 1,016,356
Raisins .....do....	(a)	(a)	b 3,394,967	b 183,124
Other green, ripe, or dried.....	.....	1,043,189	.....	b 2,192,315
Preserved—				
Canned	.....	986,509	.....	2,029,148
Other	.....	158,350	.....	65,296
Total fruits	.....	3,985,811	.....	8,258,914
Nuts	.....	89,342	.....	135,452
Total fruits and nuts.....	.....	4,075,153	.....	8,394,366
Ginseng .....pounds..	238,184	800,455	182,034	773,212
Glucose and grape sugar .....do....	102,957,562	2,153,523	202,684,107	3,121,175
Grasses, dried.....	.....	c 29,789	.....	27,012
Hay.....tons..	39,583	632,478	68,034	941,529
Hops .....pounds..	13,540,832	2,632,134	15,827,630	2,151,937
Lard substitutes, not elsewhere specified (cottolene, lardine, etc.) .....pounds..	c 812,557	c 62,992	d 25,852,685	d 1,475,064
Malt.....bushels..	113,996	88,567	329,213	226,210
Malt sprouts	.....	(a)	.....	b 44,189
Malt liquors:				
Bottled.....dozen bottles..	402,348	551,356	892,047	1,080,483
Unbottled .....gallons..	262,982	69,337	487,140	118,866
Total.....	.....	620,693	.....	1,199,349
Must	.....	c 33,393	.....	c 18,500
Nursery stock.....	.....	82,618	.....	121,443
Oil cake and oil-cake meal:				
Corn.....pounds..	(a)	(a)	b 3,004,573	b 28,897
Cotton-seed.....do....	f 489,716,053	f 4,310,128	834,349,890	7,555,866
Flaxseed, or linseed.....do....	f 243,936,442	f 2,855,459	446,609,955	4,730,312
Total .....do....	748,083,072	8,565,383	1,282,762,589	12,303,516
Oils, vegetable:				
Corn.....gallons..	(a)	(a)	b 3,130,370	b 830,935
Cotton-seed.....do....	14,094,110	5,141,373	36,881,025	9,743,309
Linseed .....do....	89,738	48,511	95,798	43,246
Volatile, or essential—				
Peppermint .....pounds..	73,559	189,802	120,035	164,326
Other	.....	93,846	.....	155,867
All other.....	.....	127,665	.....	b 759,365
Total.....	.....	5,601,197	.....	11,356,420
Rice, rice meal, etc.:				
Rice .....pounds..	g 546,333	g 20,677	3,234,205	119,022
Rice bran, meal, and polish....do....	g 6,851,736	g 64,733	13,073,675	76,514
Total .....do....	7,969,815	86,196	16,307,880	195,536
Rice root. (*See* Broom root.)				
Root beer.....dozen quarts..	(a)	(a)	d 3,439	d 4,661
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s	.....	209,715	.....	172,687
Seeds:				
Cotton.....pounds..	8,649,494	67,247	34,121,992	218,147
Flaxseed, or linseed.....bushels..	1,528,893	1,744,640	2,125,137	2,089,229
Grass seed—				
Clover.....pounds..	23,363,037	2,173,118	20,357,593	1,395,409
Timothy .....do....	8,249,619	396,621	14,019,021	481,771
Other	.....	(a)	.....	b 162,791
Total grass seed.....	.....	(a)	.....	b 2,446,803
All other seeds.....	.....	326,029	.....	b 156,026
Total seeds.....	.....	4,707,655	.....	4,538,310

a Not stated. b Annual average, 1898–1900. c Annual average, 1893–1895.
d Statistics for 1900 only. e Statistics for 1896 only. f Statistics for 1895 only.
g Annual average for the four years 1891, 1893, 1894, and 1895.

Average quantity and value of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during the two five-year periods 1891–1895 and 1896–1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	Annual average for fiscal years 1891–1895.		Annual average for fiscal years 1896–1900.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.				
Spices	.....	$5,721	.....	$5,474
Spirits, distilled:				
Alcohol, including cologne spirits, proof gallons	574,339	190,424	804,273	235,104
Brandy ....proof gallons	187,823	153,325	45,433	50,475
Rum ....do	860,700	1,029,519	760,560	1,040,229
Whisky—				
Bourbon ....do	1,616,588	1,518,460	416,807	376,716
Rye ....do	120,013	139,660	51,402	78,538
Other ....do	224,231	104,857	182,350	91,372
Total ....do	3,583,694	3,136,245	2,260,825	1,872,434
Starch ....pounds	17,916,062	577,850	83,770,873	1,763,976
Straw	.....	*a* 1,578	.....	5,159
Sugar, molasses, and sirup:				
Molasses and sirup—				
Molasses ....gallons	8,149,209	941,415	*b* 4,464,094	*b* 382,060
Sirup ....do			*b* 9,594,654	*b* 1,314,259
Total molasses and sirup ....do	8,149,209	941,415	11,608,676	1,323,030
Sugar—				
Brown ....pounds	439,132	16,215	518,037	17,729
Refined ....do	33,366,407	1,765,464	10,801,160	504,849
Total sugar ....do	33,805,539	1,781,679	11,319,197	522,578
Total sugar, molasses, and sirup	.....	2,723,094	.....	1,845,608
Sugar meal ....pounds	(*c*)	(*c*)	*d* 3,930,412	*d* 66,935
Teazels	.....	4,256	.....	12,852
Tobacco:				
Leaf ....pounds	257,730,033	22,373,798	290,592,600	25,035,401
Stems and trimmings ....do	14,754,904	522,183	9,759,407	233,394
Total ....do	272,484,937	22,895,981	300,352,007	25,268,795
Vegetables:				
Beans and peas ....bushels	369,675	634,013	745,807	1,017,953
Onions ....do	59,367	63,104	118,623	97,921
Potatoes ....do	624,000	489,598	720,237	484,950
Vegetables, canned	.....	319,783	.....	472,273
Other, including pickles and sauces	.....	177,509	.....	332,391
Total	.....	1,684,007	.....	2,405,488
Vinegar ....gallons	75,815	11,033	109,696	13,511
Wines:				
Bottled ....dozen bottles	13,021	58,359	12,888	57,513
Unbottled ....gallons	767,027	397,323	1,451,701	618,621
Total	.....	455,682	.....	676,134
Yeast	.....	*e* 34,315	.....	34,769
Total vegetable matter	.....	474,800,683	.....	543,812,648
Total agricultural exports	.....	654,350,251	.....	752,120,133

a Annual average for the three years 1891, 1894, and 1895. *b* Annual average, 1898–1900. *c* Not stated.
d Statistics for 1896 only. *e* Annual average, 1893–1895.

IMPORT AND EXPORT PRICES.

To supplement the statistics of importation and exportation already presented the following tables are appended, showing for each of the ten fiscal years under consideration the average import and export prices of the various agricultural products[1] enumerated:

[1] The articles enumerated in the following tables of prices are the same as those given in the import and export tables printed on pages 21–46, and they should be read in the light of the footnotes with which they are there accompanied.

Average import price of agricultural products imported into the United States during each of the ten fiscal years 1891–1900.

Articles imported.	Years ended June 30—										Annual average—	
	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1891–1895.	1896–1900.
ANIMAL MATTER.												
Cattle, free of duty ..... head..	$18.00	$205.13	$120.83	$17.14	$6.63	$20.56	$119.41	$132.81	$152.81	$193.89	$11.02	$130.04
Cattle, dutiable ..... do....	5.56	10.01	7.91	10.43	4.95	6.89	7.80	9.75	11.17	11.42	5.16	9.19
Total cattle ..... do....	8.31	21.89	13.87	11.75	5.11	6.93	7.87	9.99	11.62	12.47	5.80	9.51
Horses, free of duty ..... do....	311.79	394.80	384.40	551.55	330.17	196.34	138.85	181.82	277.65	278.25	368.62	224.82
Horses, dutiable ..... do....	78.05	106.70	105.18	103.96	53.88	50.72	58.38	117.92	129.01	131.64	86.76	74.36
Total horses ..... do....	144.88	174.50	154.57	214.01	80.56	66.32	66.42	134.49	181.15	192.32	146.99	102.59
Sheep, free of duty ..... do....	13.24	25.98	22.55	24.84	15.90	10.85	13.70	14.05	19.25	19.91	19.05	14.98
Sheep, dutiable ..... do....	3.25	3.53	3.46	3.02	2.25	2.54	2.45	2.73	3.36	3.47	3.16	2.91
Total sheep ..... do....	3.53	3.78	3.66	3.25	2.34	2.65	2.51	2.82	3.47	3.58	3.38	3.00
Beeswax ..... pound..	.212	.242	.250	.251	.274	.278	.249	.266	.243	.241	.244	.255
Bristles, crude ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.399	2.23	.611	.346	.579	.823	*a*.399	.727
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.958	.912	.903	.814	.788	.851	*a*.958	.850
Total bristles ..... do....	.967	.973	.943	1.04	.956	.913	.903	.814	.785	.851	.970	.850
Butter ..... do....	.154	.145	.184	.162	.179	.164	.160	.171	.167	.196	.159	.173
Cheese ..... do....	.153	.149	.140	.143	.141	.139	.135	.134	.132	.131	.145	.134
Eggs ..... dozen..	.144	.125	.118	.111	.120	.094	.082	.049	.095	.065	.130	.085
Silk:												
Cocoons ..... pound..	.757	.511	.594	.618	.434	.405	.....	.381	.169	.608	.543	.413
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon ..... do....	3.66	3.23	3.91	3.15	2.76	3.28	2.84	3.05	3.28	3.96	3.32	3.33
Waste ..... do....	.805	.571	.755	.647	.449	.372	.285	.371	.421	.427	.648	.378
Total silk ..... do....	3.04	2.84	3.51	2.75	2.43	2.86	2.37	2.66	2.89	3.47	2.91	2.89
Wool, class 1, clothing:												
In the grease ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.158	.170	.150	.....	.....	*b*.160
Scoured ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.265	.280	.155	.....	.....	*b*.266
Total wool, class 1 ..... do....	.215	.189	.182	.164	.153	.166	.171	.175	.150	.214	.176	.173
Wool, class 2, combing:												
In the grease ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.189	.199	.272	.....	.....	*b*.194
Scoured ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.211	.210	.165	.....	.....	*b*.211
Total wool, class 2 ..... do....	.233	.235	.218	.258	.196	.223	.189	.199	.272	.209	.217	.203
Wool, class 3, carpet:												
In the grease ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.105	.096	.094	.....	.....	*b*.099
Scoured ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.118	.088	.097	.....	.....	*b*.117
Total wool, class 3 ..... do....	.108	.095	.096	.092	.091	.097	.105	.096	.094	.091	.097	.097
Total wools ..... do....	.141	.132	.122	.111	.124	.141	.152	.126	.108	.130	.127	.138
Glue ..... do....	.090	.089	.092	.097	.088	.089	.096	.104	.089	.096	.091	.094
Hides and skins, other than furs:												
Goatskins ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.202	.220	.227	.243	.265	.268	*a*.202	.249
Hides of cattle ..... do....	}	.....	.....	.....	.088	.124	.106	{ .108	.104	.118	} *a*.088	{ *c*.111
Other ..... do....	}							{ .140	.148	.165	}	{ *c*.154
Total hides and skins ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.115	.145	.135	.151	.157	.167	*a*.115	.153
Honey ..... gallon..	.436	.448	.451	.368	.341	.383	.415	.395	.409	.482	.410	.424
Sausage, Bologna ..... pound..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.225	.233	.....	.....	.....	.....	*d*.229

Oils, animal, except whale and fish ..... gallon..	.286	.351	.383	.343	.320	.327	.158	.404	.173	.180	.355	.246
Stearin ..... pound..	.....	.....	.091	.....	.....	.071	.....	.....	.014	.018	*e*.091	*f*.023
VEGETABLE MATTER.												
Argols, or wine lees ..... pound..	.102	.089	.081	.067	.068	.096	.084	.083	.082	.087	.081	.087
Barley ..... bushel..	.635	.506	.468	.453	.410	.379	.310	.351	.486	.480	.531	.355
Corn (maize) ..... do....	.782	.703	.673	.686	.456	.433	.329	.433	.388	.783	.597	.434
Oats ..... do....	.522	.407	.418	.471	.262	.274	.260	.370	.385	.442	.291	.328
Oatmeal ..... pound..	.054	.056	.051	.058	.056	.057	.021	.055	.059	.057	.055	.037
Rye ..... bushel..	.700	.808	.821	.740	.486	1.89	2.36	.404	2.44	1.11	.729	.446
Wheat ..... do....	.791	.795	.732	.651	.608	.657	.767	.952	.752	.759	.719	.782
Wheat flour ..... barrel..	5.13	6.89	5.42	4.85	4.44	4.91	4.41	4.46	4.48	5.26	5.12	4.60
Broom corn ..... ton..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90.37	.....	*g*90.37
Chocolate, other than confectionery and sweetened chocolate ..... pound..	.217	.209	.218	.205	.195	.173	.163	.151	.187	.199	.206	.173
Cider ..... gallon..	.....	.....	.270	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.864	*e*.270	*g*.864
Cocoa, crude, and leaves and shells of ..... pound..	.131	.147	.164	.136	.109	.103	.095	.136	.143	.136	.136	.124
Cocoa, prepared or manufactured ..... do....	.384	.382	.343	.351	.337	.330	.297	.357	.319	.310	.360	.319
Total cocoa ..... do....	.145	.162	.174	.151	.120	.114	.105	.143	.147	.140	.149	.131
Coffee ..... do....	.185	.200	.143	.164	.147	.146	.111	.075	.066	.067	.168	.089
Chicory root, raw, unground ..... do....	*h*.019	.017	.020	.021	.017	.013	.014	.016	.015	.015	*i*.019	.014
Chicory root, roasted, ground, or otherwise prepared ..... pound..	*j*.030	.031	.037	.039	.033	.033	.035	.....	.033	.034	*i*.036	*k*.034
Total chicory root ..... do....	.029	.021	.024	.025	.017	.014	.014	.....	.027	.019	.023	*k*.014
Coffee substitutes, n. e. s ..... do....	.063	.038	.037	.040	.039	.038	.037	.034	.037	.039	.039	.037
Total coffee substitutes ..... do....	.029	.025	.026	.027	.022	.017	.017	.....	.033	.028	.026	*k*.018
Cotton ..... do....	.135	.112	.108	.108	.096	.119	.113	.095	.100	.118	.109	.110
Flax ..... ton..	261.69	251.43	280.64	307.18	284.71	230.36	206.53	215.88	201.81	236.30	274.36	218.05
Hemp *l* ..... do....	150.77	131.45	142.31	146.74	126.94	126.57	124.97	139.49	121.06	132.43	*i* 133.93	128.24
Istle, or Tampico fiber ..... do....	*h* 91.10	68.80	64.54	53.68	46.65	58.78	53.20	50.84	64.31	82.65	*i* 56.00	62.18
Jute and jute butts ..... do....	27.26	34.09	30.01	34.30	24.88	22.49	23.93	22.65	27.61	38.53	29.20	27.29
Manila hemp ..... do....	*h* 176.00	149.69	140.92	113.91	80.76	76.30	73.68	64.44	116.77	168.27	*i* 122.00	98.65
Sisal grass ..... do....	*h* 113.60	108.03	110.33	77.21	57.64	65.47	60.61	74.58	128.12	153.17	*i* 89.05	100.17
Fibers, vegetable, n. e. s. *m* ..... do....	89.44	99.15	100.31	84.06	52.79	41.13	66.32	62.22	68.74	81.36	*i* 89.91	65.93
Fruit juice, n. e. s.:												
Prune juice or prune wine ..... gallon..	1.02	1.04	.871	.862	.739	.830	.701	.890	.776	.815	.893	.798
Other, including cherry juice ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.489	.517	.617	.....	*c*.540
Total fruit juices ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.621	.631	.707	.....	*c*.655
Currants ..... pound..	*h*.038	.033	.036	.015	.016	.017	.020	.033	.026	.025	*i*.025	.024
Dates ..... do....	*h*.034	.032	.030	.031	.021	.020	.024	.027	.025	.021	*i*.029	.023
Figs ..... do....	.076	.061	.052	.049	.050	.054	.060	.053	.049	.058	.057	.055
Lemons ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.019	.023	.....	*n*.021
Oranges ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.013	.016	.....	*n*.014
Plums and prunes ..... do....	.060	.040	.044	.042	.037	.142	.103	.130	.106	.108	.048	.115
Raisins ..... do....	.051	.047	.046	.040	.041	.043	.045	.058	.057	.052	.046	.049
Almonds ..... do....	.137	.135	.140	.103	.103	.098	.091	.115	.123	.150	.123	.113
Ginger, preserved or pickled ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.044	.042	.....	*n*.042

a Statistics for 1895 only. *b* Annual average, 1897–1899. *c* Annual average, 1898–1900. *d* Annual average, 1896–1897. *e* Statistics for 1893 only.
f Annual average for the three years 1896, 1899, and 1900. *g* Statistics for 1900 only. *h* From October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1891, inclusive. *i* Annual average, 1892–1895.
j Including unground prior to October 6, 1890. *k* Annual average for the four years 1896, 1897, 1899, and 1900. *l* Including Manila hemp prior to October 6, 1890.
m Including istle, or Tampico fiber, and sisal grass prior to October 6, 1890. *n* Annual average, 1899–1900.

Average import price of agricultural products imported into the United States during each of the ten fiscal years 1891–1900—Continued.

Articles imported.	Years ended June 30—										Annual average—	
	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1891–1895.	1896–1900.
VEGETABLE MATTER—continued.												
Glucose and grape sugar ..... pound..	$0.026	$0.041	$0.030	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*a* $0.030	.....
Hay ..... ton..	7.65	8.97	9.25	$8.78	$7.10	$9.16	$8.59	$8.92	$5.81	$7.09	8.14	$8.43
Hops ..... pound..	.447	.353	.403	.585	.191	.217	.209	.273	.449	.276	.368	.264
Indigo ..... do....	.766	.720	.972	.709	.509	.501	.482	.586	.543	.527	.724	.526
Malt, barley ..... bushel..	.637	1.19	1.24	1.13	.677	.856	.847	.925	.892	.938	.691	.881
Malt liquors, bottled ..... gallon..	.906	.971	.969	.951	.953	.970	.978	.948	.999	.998	.950	.980
Malt liquors, unbottled ..... do....	.341	.331	.331	.316	.303	.293	.279	.285	.296	.291	.324	.289
Total malt liquors ..... do....	.573	.584	.577	.519	.510	.507	.526	.479	.523	.522	.553	.512
Oil cake ..... pound..	.009	.010	.011	.005	.007	.006	.007	.004	.005	.007	.009	.006
Olive oil, salad ..... gallon..	1.21	1.24	1.30	1.20	1.23	1.17	1.22	1.25	1.17	1.21	1.24	1.20
Oils, volatile, or essential ..... pound..	.440	.486	.411	.385	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*b* .432	.....
Opium, crude or unmanufactured ..... do....	2.58	1.75	1.93	2.36	2.04	1.87	2.04	2.14	2.38	2.06	2.13	2.09
Opium, prepared ..... do....	7.62	6.89	7.06	6.20	6.58	7.44	7.21	6.51	6.67	7.48	6.86	7.09
Total opium ..... do....	3.27	2.37	2.40	2.61	3.31	3.06	2.70	4.10	3.22	3.19	2.74	3.05
Rice ..... do....	.024	.023	.020	.018	.017	.016	.019	.022	.020	.020	.020	.020
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice ..... do....	.017	.017	.018	.015	.014	.013	.015	.016	.015	.016	.016	.015
Total rice, rice meal, etc ..... do....	.021	.020	.019	.017	.016	.015	.018	.020	.019	.020	.019	.018
Linseed, or flaxseed ..... bushel..	1.10	1.12	1.31	1.18	1.09	1.08	1.03	1.11	1.07	1.40	1.11	1.10
Spices, unground:												
Nutmegs ..... pound..	.517	.475	.432	.347	.311	.320	.270	.273	.241	.221	.416	.263
Pepper, black or white ..... do....	.099	.072	.060	.052	.039	.039	.047	.065	.088	.098	.062	.065
Other (free of duty) ..... do....	.063	.063	.066	.063	.059	.052	.053	.065	.072	.070	.063	.062
Spices, ground (and other dutiable) ..... do....	.148	.129	.120	.155	.132	.113	.111	.100	.099	.086	.135	.100
Total spices ..... do....	.104	.092	.078	.074	.063	.060	.064	.076	.090	.088	.081	.075
Spirits, distilled:												
Of domestic manufacture, returned .... pf. gall..	1.14	1.18	1.09	.858	.870	.913	.903	.860	.836	.918	1.05	.885
Brandy ..... do....	2.57	2.67	2.81	2.82	2.60	2.66	2.70	2.87	2.85	2.85	2.68	2.77
Other ..... do....	.878	.993	1.06	1.04	1.09	1.16	1.20	1.30	1.37	1.47	1.01	1.30
Total distilled spirits ..... do....	1.23	1.32	1.32	1.12	1.23	1.21	1.27	1.21	1.29	1.45	1.24	1.29
Starch ..... pound..	.021	.027	.023	.021	.019	.018	.018	.017	.016	.019	.022	.018
Straw ..... ton..	3.56	3.76	3.45	3.28	3.17	3.95	3.38	3.08	2.20	2.87	3.42	3.31
Molasses ..... gallon..	.129	.128	.129	.101	.086	.157	.158	.151	.136	.127	.116	.143
Sugar not above No. 16 Dutch standard:												
Beet ..... pound..	.028	.028	.029	.031	.020	.023	.018	.019	.021	.021	.028	.020
Cane and other ..... do....	.031	.029	.031	.029	.021	.022	.021	.023	.024	.026	.028	.023
Sugar above No. 16 Dutch standard ..... do....	.038	.038	.039	.038	.028	.029	.025	.024	.027	.034	.035	.026
Total sugar ..... do....	.030	.029	.031	.029	.021	.023	.020	.022	.024	.025	.028	.023
Tea ..... do....	.166	.160	.156	.151	.135	.135	.131	.140	.131	.124	.153	.132
Tobacco:												
Suitable for cigar wrappers ..... do....	*c* .940	.715	.950	1.15	1.27	1.07	.935	.981	1.05	.921	*d* 1.05	.987
Other leaf, etc. (including stems) ..... do....	*c* .571	.430	.409	.387	.359	.394	.506	.551	.561	.581	*d* .396	.488
Total tobacco ..... do....	.571	.470	.523	.559	.553	.501	.694	.715	.705	.678	.535	.625

Vanilla beans ....do....	3.48	3.31	3.20	4.24	3.61	4.30	5.36	4.37	4.54	4.72	3.52	4.66
Beans and peas ....bushel..	1.25	1.10	.988	.944	1.01	1.07	1.01	.912	.899	1.09	1.06	1.04
Cabbages ....number..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.044	.055	.....	.....	.....	.....	*f* .048
Onions ....bushel..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.12	.878	.647	.655	.....	*g* .808
Potatoes ....do....	.518	.995	.479	.425	.450	.728	.591	.404	555	.945	.486	.521
Vinegar ....gallon..	.262	.268	.289	.270	.264	.303	.270	.261	.252	.251	.270	.265
Champagne and other sparkling wines...doz. btls..	14.04	14.31	14.91	14.74	14.77	14.73	14.64	14.58	13.98	13.27	14.52	14.18
Still wines:												
Bottled ....do....	5.02	5.23	5.13	4.81	4.82	4.86	4.77	4.88	4.90	4.94	5.02	4.87
Unbottled ....gallon..	.684	.709	.711	.699	.697	.688	.680	.721	.698	.689	.700	.693

a Annual average, 1891–1893. *b* Annual average, 1891–1894. *c* From October 6, 1890, to June 30, 1891, inclusive. *d* Annual average, 1892–1895.
e Including leaf tobacco suitable for cigar wrappers prior to October 6, 1890. *f* Annual average, 1896–1897. *g* Annual average, 1897–1900.

Average export price of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during each of the ten fiscal years 1891–1900.

Articles exported.	Years ended June 30—										Annual average—	
	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1891–1895.	1896–1900.
ANIMAL MATTER.												
Cattle ....head..	$81.26	$88.95	$90.68	$93.14	$92.26	$92.79	$92.70	$86.12	$78.35	$77.11	$89.07	$85.35
Hogs ....do....	11.99	11.39	14.51	9.50	10.16	10.80	10.30	7.67	6.88	7.71	12.19	8.46
Horses ....do....	252.38	189.46	242.20	211.40	157.99	140.52	120.64	120.75	118.93	117.62	190.40	121.66
Mules ....do....	127.59	121.42	128.69	116.80	74.14	68.63	72.97	82.09	76.52	90.38	111.48	84.52
Sheep ....do....	4.28	3.43	3.39	6.29	6.48	6.26	6.27	6.08	5.96	5.83	5.87	6.15
Beeswax ....pound..	.249	.250	.285	.251	.294	.296	.289	.277	.275	.288	.265	.286
Butter ....do....	.145	.163	.188	.176	.164	.152	.143	.150	.161	.172	.165	.154
Cheese ....do....	.090	.094	.094	.097	.091	.084	.091	.086	.087	.102	.093	.090
Eggs ....dozen..	.177	.177	.231	.169	.168	.147	.139	.163	.174	.166	.182	.165
Feathers, other than ostrich ....pound..	.....	.....	.101	.....	.168	.166	.099	.....	.....	.....	*a* .150	*b* .132
Glue ....do....	.112	.114	.101	.101	.097	.095	.095	.090	.094	.096	.104	.094
Hides and skins, other than furs ....do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.064	.098	.077	.088	.092	.107	*c* .064	.090
Beef, canned ....do....	.083	.091	.091	.091	.089	.088	.086	.088	.091	.094	.088	.090
Beef, fresh ....do....	.079	.082	.086	.086	.088	.084	.078	.084	.083	.090	.084	.084
Beef, salted or pickled ....do....	.056	.057	.055	.057	.057	.056	.052	.053	.054	.057	.056	.055
Beef, other cured ....do....	.091	.097	.098	.083	.090	.115	.089	.094	.092	.085	.091	.092
Tallow ....do....	.049	.049	.051	.051	.050	.044	.037	.038	.041	.049	.050	.042
Bacon ....do....	.073	.077	.091	.092	.083	.079	.068	.071	.074	.076	.083	.073
Hams ....do....	.098	.101	.121	.113	.104	.098	.097	.095	.092	.104	.107	.097
Pork, canned ....do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.077	.....	*d* .077
Pork, fresh ....do....	.069	.080	.087	.079	.074	.059	.073	.067	.066	.074	.078	.069
Pork, salted or pickled ....do....	.059	.060	.078	.080	.071	.057	.049	.056	.058	.062	.068	.057
Lard ....do....	.069	.072	.095	.090	.078	.066	.051	.056	.059	.063	.080	.059
Mutton ....do....	.095	.089	.085	.079	.081	.075	.078	.085	.078	.083	.081	.080
Oleo oil ....do....	.098	.098	.098	.097	.091	.078	.059	.060	.064	.072	.097	.066

a Annual average for the two years 1893 and 1895. *b* Annual average, 1896–1897. *c* Statistics for 1895 only. *d* Statistics for 1900 only.

Average export price of domestic agricultural products exported from the United States during each of the ten fiscal years 1891-1900—Continued.

Articles exported.	Years ended June 30—										Annual average—	
	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1891-1895.	1896-1900.
ANIMAL MATTER—continued.												
Oleomargarin (imitation butter) ..... pound..	$0.128	$0.121	$0.120	$0.122	$0.098	$0.097	$0.097	$0.089	$0.092	$0.098	$0.111	$0.095
Animal oils, n. e. s.:												
Lard oil ..... gallon..	.515	.547	.691	.660	.549	.511	.437	.395	.450	.457	.578	.450
Other, except whale and fish ..... do....	.620	.517	.501	.553	.523	.504	.425	.409	.387	.453	.559	.437
Total animal oils, n. e. s. ..... do....	.549	.540	.634	.630	.544	.510	.435	.397	.440	.455	.573	.448
Silk waste ..... pound..	.368	.421	.341	.295	.356	.304	.244	.123	.125	.189	.364	.184
Stearin ..... do....	.046	.049	.050	.056	.059	.051	.051	.047	.048	.....	.049	*a* .048
Wool ..... do....	.135	.151	.161	.174	.113	.123	.118	.149	.141	.176	.123	.131
VEGETABLE MATTER.												
Barley ..... bushel..	.688	.625	.484	.456	.491	.404	.382	.493	.607	.474	.518	.445
Bran, middlings, and mill feed ..... ton..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.58	15.65	15.84	.....	*b* 15.48
Bread and biscuit ..... pound..	.054	.054	.052	.048	.045	.045	.046	.049	.049	.051	.050	.048
Buckwheat ..... bushel..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.405	.430	.552	.597	.....	*c* .473
Corn (maize) ..... do....	.574	.551	.534	.462	.529	.378	.306	.355	.396	.407	.525	.369
Corn meal ..... barrel..	2.97	3.20	2.92	2.65	2.90	2.36	1.90	2.13	2.24	2.28	2.93	2.19
Oats ..... bushel..	.426	.408	.400	.353	.352	.269	.249	.298	.323	.302	.389	.292
Oatmeal ..... pound..	.029	.027	.028	.025	.028	.024	.023	.021	.022	.023	.027	.022
Rye ..... bushel..	.638	.949	.679	.548	.566	.450	.428	.568	.585	.612	.907	.541
Rye flour ..... barrel..	4.27	4.93	3.66	3.04	3.20	2.96	2.87	3.46	3.11	3.38	3.92	3.17
Wheat ..... bushel..	.933	1.03	.799	.672	.576	.655	.753	.983	.748	.718	.829	.798
Wheat flour ..... barrel..	4.82	4.96	4.54	4.11	3.38	3.56	3.84	4.51	3.95	3.62	4.34	3.89
Cider ..... gallon..	.180	.141	.133	.143	.128	.128	.122	.129	.131	.133	.141	.128
Cotton, sea-island ..... pound..	.210	.175	.220	.204	.182	.199	.189	.177	.167	.164	.198	.180
Cotton, upland and other ..... do....	.099	.088	.085	.078	.058	.080	.074	.059	.055	.077	.080	.068
Total cotton in bales ..... do....	.100	.088	.085	.079	.058	.081	.074	.060	.056	.078	.081	.068
Waste cotton ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.041	.037	.045	.....	*b* .042
Total cotton ..... do....	.100	.088	.085	.079	.058	.081	.074	.060	.055	.078	.081	.068
Apples, dried ..... do....	.059	.049	.061	.059	.065	.050	.044	.061	.065	.064	.055	.057
Apples, green or ripe ..... barrel..	3.53	2.57	2.69	3.09	2.39	2.58	1.58	2.78	3.18	2.74	2.60	2.26
Prunes ..... pound..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.064	.068	.064	.....	*b* .064
Raisins ..... do....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.054	.052	.058	.....	*b* .054
Ginseng ..... do....	3.39	3.51	3.16	3.18	3.54	3.86	4.68	3.67	3.99	5.18	3.36	4.25
Glucose and grape sugar ..... do....	.024	.024	.022	.019	.019	.016	.014	.015	.016	.016	.021	.015
Hay ..... ton..	16.75	16.56	15.71	16.36	14.84	14.80	13.71	14.07	13.23	13.65	15.98	13.88
Hops ..... pound..	.266	.192	.237	.220	.107	.088	.114	.154	.171	.135	.194	.136
Lard substitutes, n. e. s. (cottolene, lardine, etc.), *d* pound	.....	.....	.080	.076	.076	.060	.053	.052	.054	.057	*e* .078	*f* .057
Malt ..... bushel..	.899	.925	.748	.684	.681	.635	.612	.707	.715	.725	.777	.687
Malt liquors, bottled ..... dozen bottles..	1.46	1.47	1.44	1.34	1.15	1.20	1.16	1.22	1.21	1.23	1.37	1.21
Malt liquors, unbottled ..... gallon..	.286	.261	.266	.252	.256	.240	.223	.226	.257	.255	.264	.244
Oil cake and oil-cake meal:												
Corn ..... pound..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.009	.009	.010	.....	*b* .010

Cotton-seed ....do....					.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.010	g.009	.009
Flaxseed, or linseed....do....					.012	.011	.009	.010	.011	.011	g.012	.011
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal....do....	.012	.012	.012	.012	.010	.010	.009	.009	.009	.010	.011	.010
Corn oil ....gallon..								.218	.239	.308		b.265
Cotton-seed oil ....do....	.361	.359	.415	.402	.322	.282	.254	.252	.239	.301	.365	.264
Linseed oil ....do....	.629	.481	.523	.523	.596	.495	.384	.427	.446	.523	.541	.451
Peppermint oil....pound..	2.67	2.84	2.68	2.61	2.22	2.05	1.58	1.24	1.01	1.01	2.58	1.37
Rice ....do....	.061		.033	.026	.038	.010	.038	.043	.045	.039	h.038	.037
Rice bran, meal, and polish ....do....	.009		.010	.009	.008	.006	.006	.006	.006	.006	h.009	.006
Total rice, rice meal, etc ....do....	.017	.009	.011	.010	.010	.006	.009	.010	.008	.016	.011	.012
Root beer....dozen quarts..										1.36		f1.36
Cotton seed ....pound..	.008	.007	.008	.008	.008	.007	.006	.006	.006	.007	.008	.006
Flaxseed, or linseed....bushel..	1.27	1.08	1.19	1.18	1.17	.910	.820	.899	.995	1.27	1.14	.983
Clover seed....pound..	.076	.084	.121	.100	.093	.079	.077	.061	.063	.074	.093	.069
Timothy seed ....do....	.042	.037	.071	.044	.056	.044	.034	.031	.031	.034	.048	.034
Alcohol, including cologne spirits....proof gallon..	.430	.330	.323	.358	.268	.257	.336	.286	.289	.333	.332	.292
Brandy ....do....	.818	.823	.735	.805	.942	.978	1.07	1.59	1.40	1.04	.816	1.11
Rum....do....	1.20	1.19	1.20	1.11	1.29	1.36	1.36	1.39	1.38	1.35	1.20	1.37
Bourbon whisky....do....	1.09	.893	.942	.906	1.03	1.34	.742	.841	1.19	.886	.939	.904
Rye whisky ....do....	1.51	1.05	1.26	1.04	1.97	1.70	1.80	1.78	1.57	1.32	1.16	1.53
Distilled spirits, n. e. s ....do....	.707	.536	.547	.431	.389	.450	.451	.818	1.25	1.34	.468	.501
Total distilled spirits....do....	.991	.717	.932	.878	.914	.967	.834	.637	.773	1.03	.875	.828
Starch....pound..	.037	.031	.032	.032	.031	.028	.021	.019	.021	.021	.032	.021
Molasses....gallon..								.070	.078	.112		b.086
Sirup ....do....								.105	.146	.151		b.137
Total molasses and sirup ....do....	.171	.113	.119	.111	.093	.106	.088	.093	.121	.141	.116	.114
Sugar, brown....pound..	.055	.035	.037	.038	.032	.035	.032	.038	.035	.035	.037	.034
Sugar, refined ....do....	.057	.046	.047	.044	.046	.049	.047	.050	.045	.045	.053	.047
Total sugar....do....	.057	.045	.047	.044	.045	.049	.045	.049	.045	.045	.053	.046
Sugar meal....do....						.017						i.017
Tobacco, leaf ....do....	.087	.084	.090	.085	.087	.085	.080	.087	.092	.087	.087	.086
Tobacco stems and trimmings ....do....	.026	.025	.034	.052	.025	.021	.022	.023	.026	.026	.035	.024
Total tobacco....do....	.084	.081	.086	.083	.086	.083	.078	.084	.090	.085	.084	.084
Beans and peas ....bushel..	1.88	1.48	1.91	1.76	1.77	1.33	1.23	1.28	1.44	1.59	1.72	1.36
Onions ....do....	1.40	.971	1.06	1.01	.876	.738	.817	.907	.814	.835	1.06	.825
Potatoes ....do....	.928	.649	.828	.812	.730	.546	.556	.761	.777	.774	.785	.673
Vinegar ....gallon..	.153	.156	.140	.140	.141	.138	.123	.119	.126	.109	.146	.123
Wines, bottled....dozen bottles..	4.59	4.56	4.64	4.62	4.04	4.05	4.14	4.83	4.74	5.07	4.48	4.46
Wines, unbottled ....gallon..	.587	.566	.522	.474	.485	.434	.453	.420	.417	.409	.518	.426

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e Annual average, 1893–1895.
f Statistics for 1900 only.
g Statistics for 1895 only.
h Annual average for the four years 1891, 1893, 1894, and 1895
i Statistics for 1896 only.

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